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DOINGS OF CONGRESS.

Cuban Belligerency May Come Up In the House.

MONROE DOCTRINE IN SENATE

The Free Silver Coinage Substitute For the House Bond Bill Is the Unfinished Business In the Upper House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Indications are that the time of the senate will be divided this week between the discussion of finances and the Monroe doctrine, the latter being based upon the Davis resolution and the former on the free coinage substitute for the house bond bill. Several senators, including Teller, Daniel, Cockrell and White, will speak on the silver bill during the week, and the probabilities are that the consideration of the bill will not be concluded when the end of the week is reached. No vote will be secured until the Utah senators take their seats, but it will come soon after that time

The silver substitute is the unfinished business, which fact gives it precedence over all other matters each day after 2 o'clock, thus rendering it impossible to take up the Monroe resolution except during the morning hour, unless by general consent. Senator Pugh has given notice that he will, on Monday, try to secure a vote on his resolution for the payment of government obligations in coin instead of gold alone, but his success in that direction is doubtful. The tariff bill will be reported during the week if Senator Jones of Nevada gives his consent.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The house will devote the week to the consideration of appropriation bills unless a move is made to recognize the Cubans as belligerents. It is quite probable that the question may be presented to the house in some shape. The committee on foreign affairs has as yet proposed no resolution on the subject, but there are many indications that the whole question will be considered in the house before long. The urgent deficiency and military academy appropriation bills which are ready go to make up the regular work for the week.

THE GERMANS CELEBRATED.

The Deutsche Kriegerbund Affair Was the Most Elaborate.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of the proclamation of the German empire was celebrated by nearly all the German clubs, social and singing societies in New York and vicinity. The most important events were a commers arranged by the Deutsch Kriegerbund on July 17, a commers held by former students of German universities at Liederkranz hall on the 18th, and a banquet at the German club on the same day, where William Steinway responded to the toast: "Germania, Our Mother; Columbia, Our Bride."

The most important celebration took place at Carnegie hall under the auspices of a committee headed by William Steinway, who was assisted by Messrs. Oswald Ottendorfer, Carl Schurz, Jacob H. Schiff, Frank A. Earet, Herbert Cillis and others. Heinrich Zoellner's opera, "Red Sedan," was performed for the first time in America.

In the chorus of the Leiderkranz society Miss Lillian Blauvelt and other soloists took part. Miss Ida Haar recited a prologue, which aroused the enthusiasm of the audience.

QUIETLY LOOKING ABOUT.

War Department Contemplates a Fortification at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 20.—It is learned that an agent of the war department has been making inquiries in this city for an available site for the location of a fortification for the protection of the city in case of a foreign war. One site considered is located at Rocky River, six miles west of Cleveland, on a bluff from which heavy guns could command the entrance to the harbor east and west. There were no negotiations as to the purchase of the place.

Griffin Not Insane.

BROCKTON, Mass., Jan. 20. — The statements to the effect that Johnnie Griffin, the well known lightweight, was in a Massachusetts insane asylum, are greatly exaggerated. Griffin was in the city yesterday. It is true that he has been troubled with his head, and early in the month had an operation performed at the Carney hospital, Boston.

Debs Will Drop Out Officially.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 20. — Eugene V. Debs said he expected to sever his official connection with the American Railway union within the coming year. His purpose was, he said, to devote his time to the labor movement in general and not to any particular organization.

The Head Teacher Killed.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—During the massacre at Marash in November the two head teachers in the American academy were killed, one being flayed alive and then cut to pieces.

No Leniency Will Be Shown.

MADRID, Jan. 20.—General Weyler, the newly appointed governor of Cuba, will abandon the lenient policy toward the insurgents and adopt a complete change of tactics.

Raised the Cuban Flag.

GALVESTON, Jan. 20.—At a secret meeting here of the Cuban club the flag of the insurgents called the Cuban flag was raised over the headquarters of the club.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT IN CUBA.

Insurgents Break Through the Spanish Lines Near Batabano.

HAVANA, Jan. 20.—Reports have been received of the engagement between Colonel Galbis and the insurgents near Batabano. It is said the insurgent forces that attacked him were those of Gomez. The troops met the attack of the insurgents on their knees and withheld their fire until the enemy was within a short distance. The Spanish artillery did good execution. The insurgents retreated, it is reported.

Although the report thus states that Gomez was repulsed and defeated, it is reported that he moved afterward south of Malena upon Guinas and in the direction of the village of San Nicolas. These points are east of the military line of Batabano and would indicate that Gomez was successful in his attempt to break through that line.

A report comes from Santa Clara that the insurgent band of Alberto and Pastor Rejas, which is a part of the force from the eastern provinces which Maximo Gomez ordered to the relief of the insurgents in the west, has made a successful attempt to break through the military line of La Trocha. This band came from Placetas and they attacked the Spanish forces near Las Cruces, on the railroad running from Cienfuegos and LaGrange, which approximately marks the LaTrocha military line.

Gomez is now proceeding in the direction of Cienaga de Zapata, the great swamp in the southern part of Matanzas, for the purpose, it is supposed, of awaiting a junction there of the forces which are advancing from the eastern provinces.

A train from Neuvitas, in the province of Santiago de Cuba, was dynamited by the insurgents and the engine destroyed. No details are given of the casualties, which means a Cuban victory.

In Havana province the insurgents attacked a Spanish detachment at the plantation of Averhoff near Aguacato, and are reported to have been repulsed. The troops had two killed and six wounded.

Maximo Gomez was reported as moving from Alquizar last night, and as having slept in the bed of the Marquis Dayalos on the plantation of San Antonio.

There is to be no change in the policy of the government in Cuba, it is announced, as the result of the recent changes in the executive officers. It is also asserted that political reforms will be inaugurated as soon as the progress of the war will allow. No further specifications are given as to what the contemplated reforms are or how far they will extend.

A large force of the insurgents, consisting of the bands of Rabi and Jose Maceo, passed the village of Manjuari. The insurgents have burned the railroad station at Caobas, only a few miles from Matanzas.

The mayor of the village of San Nicolas has been hanged by the insurgents.

The column of Major Cedeno fought the band of Leonelo Vidal on the plantation of Natalia in the district of Sagua. The troops lost one killed and one taken prisoner.

The station at San Cayetano in Havana province has been burned.

The band of Bernandez plundered Sierra Linares in Pinar del Rio, and it is alleged that the negroes of the band violated all that they could lay their hands on and hanged the merchants in the presence of their wives and children. It is reported that 150 persons have taken passage on the steamer Olivette for her next trip to Florida.

General Sabas Marin has been named as captain general of Porto Rico, in succession to General Gamir, whose death from yellow fever has just occurred. General Campos will not accept the presidency of a supreme court of war and marine, though he thanks the government for its attentions and for the courtesies he received while he was captain general.

Mrs. Henrotin Heard From.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20. — Mrs. Charles Henrotin, president of the Central Federation of Womens' clubs, has issued a circular letter to all the club presidents, asking them to bring forward consideration of a peace movement in Europe and this country.

A Governor Drowned.

MUSCOGEE, I. T., Jan. 20.—Governor Espartdocher of the Creek nation was drowned while trying to cross the Deep Fork near here. The boat was swept down the stream by the current and, striking a log, was overturned.

The Baltimore Arrives.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—The cruiser Baltimore arrived here from Honolulu. She encountered fair weather all the way and had an uneventful passage.

Buried With Military Honors.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—With military honors the body of the late General Edward B. Fowler was laid in its last resting place in Greenwood cemetery.

Weather Indications.

For West Virginia—Rain; warmer; variable winds, becoming southerly.

For Ohio and Indiana—Fair and warmer; southerly winds.

Menelek Sues For Peace.

MASSOWAH, Jan. 20.—Owing to dissensions in the Shoan camp, Emperor Menelek is suing to the Italians for peace. He has asked General Baratieri, in command of the Italian forces in Abyssinia, to appoint a plenipotentiary for the purpose of arranging the terms of peace.

Killed Over a Game of Cards.

DINGESS, W. Va., Jan. 20.—Sharon Fuller and George Weatherholt, colored, were fatally shot, and Frank Stewart, white, is dangerously injured. The trouble arose over a game of cards. Several parties fired shots and it is not known definitely who fired the fatal ones.

LOOKING FOR TROUBLE.

Opposing Forces Marshalling Their Strength.

BOTH SIDES ARE SUSPICIOUS.

Contest For the Kentucky Senatorship Is Causing Bad Blood and the Friends of Blackburn and Hunter Watch Each Other.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 20.—The city is filling up with the friends of Blackburn and Hunter. Although the leaders of both parties had agreed that there should be no balloting for senator till Feb. 4, or until after the successor of Wilson had qualified, yet the nominees of the caucus seem to be so suspicious of each other that they are marshalling their forces here for balloting in both houses separately Tuesday, and the friends of Hunter are claiming he will be declared elected Wednesday.

Some Republican senators insist they will join the Democrats in postponing the election till after Wilson's successor arrives, as there was authority for the agreement. Some of Hunter's most ardent supporters think the scheme to postpone the election of senator was a trick in the interest of Bradley or Yerkes and that they should therefore not abide by it.

In addition to the opposition from those who want to stand by the compromise agreement, Populist Poor has become estranged from Hunter, but he says he will never go to Blackburn, so that it does not seem possible for any election of senator to occur this week. The deadlock between Hunter and Blackburn with their fighting friends on the ground, is expected to make trouble. Both sides are very determined and suspicious.

ADAMS GOES AGAINST COVERT.

Spiritualist and Anti-Spiritualist to Be Put to the Test.

ANDERSON, Ind., Jan. 20.—There will be a sensational contest here for six successive nights beginning tonight. The contest is between Dr. Covert, who has recently sued and been sued by the Indiana spiritualists, and Dr. Harry Adams of Crawfordsville, Ind., who claims to represent the spiritualists, but many disclaim him. Dr. Adams claims there have been repeated efforts to defraud the spiritualists in Indiana and he has published several exposures. For six nights Dr. Adams is to appear here and Dr. Covert has wagered that he will do everything that Dr. Adams performs, Covert not claiming any medium assistance. The men have each put up $500 with the judges. A large attendance is expected. Dr. Covert is well known in his alleged exposures. Dr. Adams is said to be a famous lowback rider who was formerly with Barnum & Bailey and later with Sells Brothers.

USED HER GUN.

Hoosier Toughs Meet With a Very Gingerly Reception.

FORT WAYNE, Jan. 20.—Five Fort Wayne sports, while out for a time, called at Mother Barnum's roadhouse and raised a disturbance. Mrs. Barnum ordered them away and slammed the door in Frank Chanvey's face. His nose was almost torn off.

The boys then forced the door in and Mrs. Barnum seized a shotgun and fired down the hallway toward the boys. There were five separate trails of blood from the house on the snow, and it is supposed that every member of the gang was wounded.

Chanvey has an ugly wound in his side which may prove serious. One of the gang named Bailey got 15 shots in his right leg. Charles Bailey was wounded painfully in the hip.

The physicians in charge of the other two men refuse to reveal their identity or where they are having their wounds dressed.

Fell Forty Feet.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 20.—While carpenters were employed on the new Eastman building the scaffold upon which they stood gave way and two men fell upon the iron joists 45 feet below. Henry eBlurns died while being removed to the hospital and Samuel Streibley was fatally hurt.

The Judge Got Even.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 20.—John Drew was found guilty of stealing a ham and was sent to jail for one month. He indulged in a little sarcasm and Judge Sutterfield called him back to send him to the penitentiary for one year.

Probably Fatally Injured.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Jan. 20.—Charles Holley, 88, president of the Bank of Carthage, sustained probably fatal injuries in a fall on the ice while walking across the street from the bank to his house.

Plan to Keep Up the Reserve.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 20.—The government is interrogating the postmasters as to the amount of gold they take in each year. This is to be used to keep up the gold reserve.

The Marriage Annulled.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Jan. 20.—The marriage of Charles E. Ferrell, shoedealer, to Miss Bloom of Oberlin, O., has been annulled because the bride was afflicted with epilepsy.

Disturbed the Honeymoon.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 20. — Sanford McIntire, bridegroom of two weeks, is in jail for stealing chickens.

Started For Delagoa.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—A Cape Town dispatch says the German gunboat Sperber has started for Delagoa bay.

Suppressing the Embassy.

PARIS, Jan. 20.—The impending recall of Count Lefebure de Pohanc, the French ambassador to the vatican, is a stop to the Radicals and Socialists and is the first step toward suppressing the embassy to the vatican

Fortune Hunters Meet.

TIPTON, Ind., Jan. 20.—Sixty alleged heirs to the alleged Edwards fortune in New York held a meeting here and arranged to get all the 400 heirs together in March.

Murder In the First Degree.

PAOLI, Ind., Jan. 20.—Ed McCoy, who killed Deputy Marshal Columbus Brown Dec. 28, has been indicted for murder in the first degree.

ODD BILLIARD FACTS.

Making a Table In a Day—The Balls Seasoned In Incubators.

A billiard table can be built in 24 hours if carte blanche is given to the manufacturer, but he prefers to have time to get the right effects from one month to six. The wood needs to be seasoned for a period of nearly seven years. High, deep Spanish mahogany is used, pollard oak, ebony and satin wood.

Tables are not always covered in green. Blue is sometimes used and a pure olive green. The late Prince Leopold was the first to make use of the latter color, and olive green is known today in the billiard world as Prince Leopold's color.

The balls must be well seasoned before they are used for play. Manufacturers have incubators in which to store them that they may undergo the drying process. Some incubators will hold fully 8,000 balls. When they are first made, they are "green." Solid ivory is the only satisfactory material of which to make them; "artificial balls" (those made of composition) are much heavier and do not wear well. English makers, to give the red balls a perfect color, steep them in a decoction that is sometimes described as the "guardsman's bath." This is extracted from the old coats of Tommy Atkins, and for billiard balls it is the finest scarlet dye known.—New York World.

A Thrashing Schoolmaster.

One ludicrous story shows Richard Busby extending the use of the rod in a way beyond all precedent. Some of the junior boys were making a great uproar in Little Dean's yard, and Busby, after twice sending a monitor in vain, commanded the culprits to be brought before him. His envoys seized a Frenchman who was watching with amusement the games of the boys and brought him before the chief, declaring that he had caused the uproar. "Horse him!" said Busby, and he was horsed, flogged and hustled out. The man went, boiling over with rage, to a neighboring coffee house and indited a challenge, which he sent by a street porter. "Horse him!" said the doctor again when he had read the paper, and the second fared as his principal. The terrified Frenchman could only say, "C'est un diable!"—London Spectator.

A Historic Stove.

There is a stove in the Virginia state capitol at Richmond (if it has not been recently removed) which is believed to be the oldest iron stove now in existence. It was manufactured in England some time about the middle of the eighteenth century by one Buzzlao, and was imported by Lord Botetourt, then in Virginia, in 1770. It was used in the house of burgesses when Virginia's colonial capital was at Williamsburg, and is now counted among the most sacred relics of early days in America.—St. Louis Republic.

STREET TALK.

Lima Philosophical Society meets to-morrow evening. Mr. Eastman will read a paper on "Our Foreign Relations."

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The many friends of C. Mayo were glad to see him down town again today, after his protracted illness. It had been four months since he had attempted to come down to the business part of the city.

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Ed Maxwell, the popular flutist of the Opera House Orchestra, has just received from T. Berteling & Co., of New York, a Boehm piccolo that is a perfect but miniature fac-simile of the valuable flute which he purchased from the same firm some time ago. The piccolo is of solid sterling silver body with ebonite and silver heads and is the only metal Boehm piccolo that was ever made. It has been constructed with a most perfect mechanism, which overcomes many or all the disadvantages created heretofore by the necessity of having the instruments. To Mr. Maxwell this extensive and valuable improvement is credited. The instrument was made according to his own ideas and orders, and was under construction for seven months. When used in an orchestra the piccolo is a D instrument, when used in a brass band it must be an E flat instrument. Mr. Maxwell had two different heads made for the piccolo and also two for the flute, so that by changing the heads he can use either instrument in band or orchestra work, and thus has practically 4 instruments in 2. Both instruments are rich in tone and unique and beautiful in construction. The actual value of the new piccolo is $150, and the value of both instruments and the silver mounted case in which they are carried aggregates $250. Mr. Maxwell is justly proud of his outfit.

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The state officers of the C. K. O. held their quarterly meeting in Toledo the other day and among other things decided to give a handsome silk flag at the convention to be held here in September, to the branch obtaining the largest number of new members during the year.

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Nature has but one way to increase flesh, strength and vigor, mind and body, and that is through the stomach by wholesome food, well digested. There is no reason, or common sense in any other method whatever.

People are thin, run down, nervous, pale, and shaky in their nerves, simply because their stomachs are weak.

They may not think they have dyspepsia but the fact remains that they do not eat enough food, or what they eat is not quickly and properly digested, as it should be.

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AMONG THE RAILROADS.

GENERAL BAGGAGE AGENTS.

The meeting of the American Association of General Baggage Agents, at San Antonio, has concluded its sessions. The committee on concealed losses recommended the establishment of a bureau for the settlement of all such claims. It was decided to refer the matter to the general passenger agents, and the committee was given further time to estimate the cost of such a bureau. A resolution to transfer free two dogs, crated, was lost, as was also a resolution providing for the holding of one meeting each year at a fixed place. Philadelphia was chosen as the next meeting place. Officers were elected as follows: President, J. C. Nicholas; secretary and treasurer, J. E. Quick; executive committee, W. S. Napier, J. B. Browing and M. B. Deering.

NOTES.

The new coal chute at the C., H. D. is almost completed.

Brakeman W. F. Johnston, of the L. E. & W., is laying off.

Henon Brumbaugh has taken a position on the L. E. & W.

Caboose No. 3, of the C., H. & D., is out of the shops, after having been overhauled.

Western lines have at least temporarily postponed the organization of a proposed freight pool on western traffic.

The stock and bondholders of the Ohio Southern road held a meeting in New York, Thursday, to consider a plan of reorganization.

Passenger conductor Crist, of the L. E. & W., has resumed his run and conductor Hennessy has resumed charge of his car on east local.

Supt. H. F. Bickell, of the L. E. & W., went to Fostoria this morning.

Archie Doane resigned his position as day caller at the L. E. & W. a few days ago, and has been succeeded by the former night caller, Hutchinson.

It is rumored that Frank A. Palmer, now assistant general passenger agent of the Wabash, with headquarters in Chicago, is to be appointed general passenger agent of the Grand Trunk system.

The shops of the Lake Shore road at Elkhart, Ind., have in the last few months turned out some work in the way of rebuilt locomotives which experts say is highly creditable to the master mechanic of the shops.

Receiver Drake, of the C., J. & M. railroad company, has filed a report in the United States court showing receipts for the quarter ending with December to have been $266,089.10 and the expenses $260,062, leaving a balance of $6,026.67.

The Michigan Central's scheme to bridge the Detroit river is likely to succeed, as the government engineering corps of the war department has reported to the United States senate in favor of the project. The Vessel Owners' Association of the lakes is fighting the scheme.

OIL AND GAS.

WILL DRILL FOR OIL.

The farmers of Union township held a meeting last Wednesday, at township hall, and organized a company to drill for oil. D. S. Beck was made chairman and Harvey Burtsfield secretary. A six per cent. lease was framed and the work of leasing will soon be commenced.—*Van Wert Bulletin.*

KENTUCKY OIL NEWS.

ASHLAND, KY., January 19.—The South Pennsylvania Oil company finished a well the past week on Hurricane, in Pike county, securing at a depth of 1,600 feet a gas pressure of 40 pounds and a flow of oil that will not exceed at present five barrels a day. The well will be shot soon.

The Corning Oil Company, of Columbus, Ohio, has begun the boring of a well on Middle Creek, a short distance from Prestonburg, but has reached only a depth of 600 feet.

Pratt, Cooper & Co., of Pittsburg, are placing a well on the upper fork of Beaver above Salt Lake, but have not more than half the required depth as yet.

Both these wells are expected to be finished early in February. No other operations are on now.

SUIT TO DISSOLVE A FIRM OF OIL MEN.

S. N. E. Priddy, well known as one of the most extensive and successful oil operators and producers in the field, has brought suit in our courts for the dissolution of the firm of S. N. E. Priddy & Co., operating in this county. Briefly, he claims that his partners have left him in on the "dusters" all right, but that they are trying to freeze him out from the "grease." He asks a dissolution, receivership, accounting and the usual and appropriate remedies.—*Van Wert Bulletin.*

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WANTED—A lady to do office work. Must be a good penman and good in figures. Address "M," care of TIMES office.

WANTED—First-class laundress for table cloths and napkins. Enquire at Lake restaurant. tf

LOST—The person who picked up a female Speculum on Wayne street, west of Main street, between 9 and 10 o'clock this morning, will please return it to 332 west Wayne street, and receive reward. Mrs. Dr. M. A. Kerr.

WANTED—Girl to do light housework, or nurse girl. Apply at 736 west High St.

WANTED—2 young men to sell newspapers, books, bulbs, etc., on trains. Call at Union News Co. C. H. & D. depot.

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...g one financial crisis that ...ecially severe Eugene Field ...e to pay out of his difficul... ...ept to ask for a raise of sal... ...l that was as abhorrent to ...nature as it would have been ...mediate action. Several days ...ssion he came to the office ...l to make appeal to Mr. ...nd each day he went home ...failed to nerve himself up to ...asking point. Finally he ...h thoroughly characteristic ...on, and for a week was not ...the office at all. Then one ...on he marched into Mr. ...office followed by four of his ...ildren, the five of them pre... ...such a pitiable appearance ...d have wrung tears from his ...r had his heart and his purse ...enonymous, which was far ...eing the case. Father and ...were dressed in rags and ...from head to foot; the chil... ...ces were sticking out bare ...holes in their shoes; their ...ere unwashed and their eyes ...if they had been crying. ...himself was in no better ...and there the five stood in ...of Mr. Stone, speaking not a ...but looking at him with ap... ...glances. All this of course ...een carefully rehearsed by ...ring the week of conspiracy, ...e result was simply over... ...ng. At last Field broke the ...looking at his employer, who ...o his best friend, out of those ...s so full of human kindness, ...d:

...you think you can see your ...r. Stone, to raising my sal...

...less to say he got the raise. ...'s eccentricity showed itself ...books he purchased, many of ...and no possible bearing upon ...k and indeed had small in... ...value. "My library," he ...say, "is full of fool books," ...me was some truth in this. ...ample, he had hundreds of ...s containing the works of ...vn and or the most part un... ...poets. Nothing pleased him ...an to buy some little volume ...crable verse produced by a ...Peoria or Coldwater or any ...usignificant place, and these ...ld range proudly with the ...and sometimes turn over the ...just to see how bad they ...He said that things had to ...er very good or very bad in ...o please him.

...of the queer things he did at ...ws office was the establishing ...t he called the "Field mo... ...window," really a portion of ...door over which he had an ...raw a cherub with the orthio... ...ngs attached to his own head ...e. Under this cherub's head ...delight in pasting all the ...eable clippings he could gath... ...newspapers and periodicals ...ing any one in the office and ...ly about himself. This win... ...me to be regarded as a regu... ...lletin board of spleen, and ...quiet chuckle Field would ...atching the long faces of his ...pions as they read sarcastic ...ious remarks about them, ...never cared how much fun ...ade of him, and he was the ...applaud when the laugh was ...wn expense.—New York Sun.

He Dodged.

...sure your sin will find you ...said a man who has a weak... ...high hats, which is incon... ...with his general mode of ...At the instance of my wife, ...d not like his styles. I aban... ...my old hatter not long ago ...a hat at another shop. For ...would discover this I went ...the block rather than pass ...op when on my way to busi...

...ly postponed the evil day. I ...seat in a restaurant yester... ...the very table at which one ...salesmen was seated. He ...as he saw my hat, but at ...oked the other way. When ...up he said pleasantly that ...ed I would come back to them ...long. One comfort is that I ...have to go around the block ...ore.'—Exchange.

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I use no poisons, my medicines are made from Botanic drugs. No poisons, I also use Electricity and Vapor baths, when a case calls for it.

In all bad cases of rheumatism, for a quick cure, I use the Exanthamatic system of cure. It is quick and sure in removing pain which does not return. Any disease I tell you I can cure, if patient fully obeys me, and should I fail after a satisfactory treatment on my part I will give money back.

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TALES OF THE TOWN

There will be an examination in practical arithmatic in all the public schools to morrow

Mr and Mrs F W Simons entertained friends at their home, on the Spencerville road, last night

The government building has been wired for electric light, the work being completed this morning

The Passing Show Co came in on the C, A & D from Toledo at 1 o'clock this afternoon, occupying two cars

James Sawey has opened a first class meat store in the room next to the Lima Tea Co, in the Bowdle block

The crowds of skaters at Hover's and McCullough's lakes last night were unusually large and the sport is reported excellent

Miss Bertha Hatch teacher at the west building and Miss Nina Lehman of the east building are ill and substitute teachers are in charge of their schools

Ed Titus returned last night from Marysville where he accompanied Chas Gottfried, who entered the Keely institute Gottfried grew worse before Marysville was reached but did not harm himself

POLICE COURT

Two Prisoners Fined To-day by Acting Mayor Atmur

Geo Hoffnagle, who yesterday pleaded not guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct, changed his plea to-day and was fined $10 by Squire Atmur, who is acting mayor during His Honor's illness

Pat Burk, arrested last night for drunkenness, was fined $8 60 and committed in default

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

W. B Richie is in Washington, D C.

L. L. Doggett, State Y M C A Secretary, is in the city

A. J. Redway, Jr., of Cincinnati, is here looking after his oil interests

Miss Frances Freeman is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Col Orr, in Piqua

Assistant Paymaster A C. Thomas, of the L. E. & W., was in the city last evening

Mrs. John Campbell, of St Mary's, is the guest of Mrs J A. Dutton, of north Pierce street.

Mr Earl Hell, of Cincinnati, is the guest of his brother, John Hell, and family, of west Wayne street

Misses Rose and Katie Reel have returned from a pleasant and extended visit with friends in Columbus.

Miss Emma Jones of Van Wert, and Miss Emelie Vetter, of Delphos, are students at the Lima Business College.

Mr. and Mrs J F Swathwood and daughter, of Brice, Ind, are guests of Conductor and Mrs Chas Jeffries, of east Vine street

Joe Linderman, of Lima, is here to attend the funeral of the little babe of Mr and Mrs Herman Claflin, which was accidentally shot yesterday —*Delphos Herald*

Basket Ball Postponement.

On account of the death of Mr. J. M Waugh, the match game of basket ball between the clerks and business men, announced for to morrow evening, has been postponed until Monday evening.

NEW BUILDINGS

Discussed by the Board of E[ducation] Last Night.

Another Ward Building will be [illegible] the Improvements to be Mad[e] [illegible] Business the Board Transa[cted] [illegible] Night

The regular meeting of the [Board] of Education was held last [night] with Messrs Jones, Prophet, [illegible]nean and Mrs Vicary present

Bills aggregating $400 we[re aud]ited and allowed, and the sala[ries for] January were granted

An application made by F[illegible] Caskey was read, and upon [illegible] was received and filed

Messrs Galarneau, Propst [and] Supt Miller, the committee [who] visited and inspected new [school] buildings in several Indiana [cities] made an informal report, th[e sub]stance of which appeared [in the] TIMES-DEMOCRAT several days [ago]

A brief discussion was held r[elative] to the proposed buildings here [The] board is now unanimous in th[e opin]ion that a new ward building [should] be built in the seventh ward [about] midway between the present [west] building and the Lima College

The present west buildi[ng] though containing sixteen roo[ms in]cluding the annex, is overcr[owded] and another building in the [western] part of the city would be a ne[cessity] within a few years even if th[e pro]posed new west building sho[uld be] larger than the present one. [The] members of the board who wer[e pres]ent at the meeting thought t[he] west building should not be [built] again after this term of schoo[l and] think it advisable to compl[ete as] soon as possible the necessa[ry ar]rangements preparatory to begi[nning] the improvement

The committee will leave [the] next week to visit new buildi[ngs at] Toledo, Tiffin, Mansfield and M[illegible] The inspection will not be conf[ined ex]clusively to the committee, b[ut all] members of the board who ca[n will] go The members and also th[e citi]zens seem to be taking a great [inter]est in the proposed improvem[ents] and it is reasonable to expect [Lima] to have some model school bui[ldings] within the near future

GOOD WORK

Accomplished at Deshler by Dete[ctive] Geo Peck, of this City.

Detective George Peck, of th[e C] H & D, has just completed a [fine] piece of work at Deshler, and as [a re]sult of his efforts three young m[en of] that place will probably land in [the] penitentiary

A few nights before Christm[as a] car on the B & O at Deshler [was] broken into and some of the con[tents] stolen On Christmas eve a ca[r on] the C, H & D was broken open [and] a box of slot machines, a ke[g of] brandy two hams and a lot of [illegible] whiskey and fine cut tobacco st[olen]

Detective Peck went to work [on] the case and a few days ago H[illegible] Zimmerman, Joe Pfaff and R[illegible] Courtney, of Deshler, were b[ound] over to the grand jury at Napo[leon] on charges of grand larceny. O[n ac]count of former experience [with] the authorities at Deshler, Mr [Peck] refused to trust the cases to pr[elim]inary trials there, but took t[hem] to Napoleon, where he recently [had] another Deshler boy indicted [for] placing obstructions upon the C, [H] & D track at the latter place

Detective Peck also unear[thed] most of the stolen property w[hich] had been buried in sawdust at a mill.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

THE BRICE LINES.

It seems that the Brice people [are] not satisfied with what they have [re]cently added to the L E & W [sys]tem and are projecting new lines. [A] dispatch from Youngstown, say[s a] large corps of surveyors under the [di]rections of Senator Brice are [illegible] engaged in running a route [illegible] the business and manufac[turing cen]ter of the city for [illegible] Akron & Western, as shown by the [illegible]

Nerves and Blood

Are inseparably connected. The former depend simply, solely, solidly upon the latter If it is pure they are properly fed and there is no "nervousness." If it is impure they are fed on refuse, therefore cannot be strong and healthy, and the horrors of nervous prostration result The only sensible way to cure is Feed the nerves on pure blood Make pure rich, red blood and keep it pure, by taking

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A NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Another Bill Introduced In Congress For That Purpose

Another bill to establish a national university at Washington has been introduced in both the senate and the house It provides for a university of the highest type, vests the government of the university in a board of 16 regents with the president of the United States at its head and a university council embracing said board and 12 eminent educators representing as many institutions of high rank and belonging to as many states The regents to have charge of all business affairs and the council of all else

It further authorizes the university to establish co operative relations with other institutions of this country prohibits partisan and sectarian preferences in any form makes admission depend on competency only and so guards the degrees to be granted as to protect the interests of all collegiate institutions entitled to recognition

In consideration of the financial condition of the country it appropriates for the fiscal years of 1897 and 1898 barely enough to enable the board of regents to organize and do such preliminary work as should not longer be delayed, at the same time opening the door to all such as may desire, in imitation of George Washington to contribute in any way to the great enterprise originated by him

It will be an agreeable surprise to persons subject to attacks of bilious colic to learn that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy In many instances the attack may be prevented by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms of the disease appear 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville Bros next to P O, C W Heister, 58 Public Square

Stephen Girard Hero

A tablet "in commemoration of the courage and humanity displayed by Stephen Girard during the epidemic of yellow fever prevailing in Philadelphia in the year 1793 " in Girard college in Philadelphia, discloses a phase of character in the philanthropist not generally understood During the fever epidemic he gave up his business and his luxurious home and assumed the superintendency of a yellow fever hospital He took up the work others recoiled from, and did the work because it was his duty —New York Evening Post

Tommy Suggests a Remedy

"I can say of our neighbor, Hark along" observed Mr Tucker, " that he gives away a great deal in charity and that his left hand never knows what his right hand is doing "

"Why doesn t he take boxing lessons?" asked Tommy Tucker —Chicago Tribune

Scrofula lurks in the blood of nearly everyone but Hood's Sarsaparilla drives it from the system and makes pure blood

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UNDER FUGITIVE SLAVE LAW

Death of an Oldtime Iron Master Recalls Christiana Riots

LANCASTER Pa Jan 20 —James M Hopkins, an oldtime iron master and politician, who was the last man living who figured conspicuously in the Christiana riots, died at his home at Conowingo this county aged 85 years In 1858 he ran for congress on the Democratic ticket against Thaddeus Stevens and gave the great commoner the hardest fight in the latter's congressional career The first conflict and bloodshed under the fugitive slave law, passed by congress in 1851, occurred at Christiana resulting in the death of a Maryland slave owner named Edward Gorsuch and the wounding of a number of his party Castner Hanway, a Quaker, and 38 others who assisted the slaves were arrested for treason Hanway alone was tried and acquitted Mr Hopkins was one of the jury and it is believed was the last survivor of those who were connected with either the riot or trial

FIENDISH TRAMPS

Rob Two Boys and Throw Them From a Moving Train

GRAFTON W Va Jan 20 —Palmer Jennings and Thomas Burks youths from east Virginia, who were trying to beat their way back home on a freight train were enticed to a boxcar by a gang of tramps who after the train got under way robbed the boys of what money they had and forced them to exchange clothes with them They then threw them bodily from the cars, seriously if not fatally injuring the Burks boy Jennings escaped unhurt

MURDER OF CHRISTIANS

Fifteen Thousand Killed In the Vicinity of Harpoot Alone

BOSTON, Jan 20 —In a letter just received Rev H M Barnum, D D, of Harpoot Eastern Turkey where property of the American board was burned says that reports have been secured from 176 villages in the vicinity of Harpoot Those villages contained 15,400 Christian houses Of this number 7 051 have been burned and 15 348 persons are reported killed Dr Barnum adds "The reality I fear, will prove to be much greater "

Conference Held

COLUMBUS O Jan 20 — President Penna and Secretary McBryde on behalf of the miners held a lengthy conference with Mr Col Morris of the Morris Coal company in reference to the strike at Jobs station After the matter was thoroughly discussed President Penna wrote to President Ratchford of the Ohio division advising him to personally visit the place and assist in straightening matters out Mr Ratchford will probably go to Jobs on Monday and it is believed that the differences will soon be adjusted

Trustee Had His Eye Blinded

HARTFORD CITY Ind Jan 20 —County Auditor Joseph Painter and his predecessor ex Auditor J T Arnold [illegible] engaged in a fight in the auditor's office and it was several minutes before friends separated them It was the result of charges and counter charges made by the party papers regarding the official record of both men Painter got decidedly the best of the fight putting a beautiful shade of black under Painter's eye [illegible]

Redwine Is Dying

COLUMBUS O Jan 20 —Dr W I Rowles penitentiary physician being asked for information says of Redwine the Atlanta bank embezzler "I don t believe he will live three months He is failing fast He is becoming blood less " This statement has been made to President Cleveland officially Redwine being an applicant for pardon

Shot From Ambush

WILLIAMSON W Va, Jan 20 —News is just received that Dr James Harvey of Wyoming county was shot from ambush at Guyan Roughs He was riding on horseback when he received the fatal shot and was found by friends on the public highway James Allen is under arrest charged with the crime The two men had trouble recently

Free Lovers Indicted

LANCASTER O Jan 20 —Nine names withheld until arrests can be made are those of residents of Madison township where a community of free lovers is said to have existed for some years and which it is understood Judge Slough is determined to break up

Dullmeyer Must Serve His Time.

COLUMBUS O Jan 20 —The board of pardons rejects the application of George Dullmeyer serving a life sentence from Chillicothe for murdering Policeman G W Hull The application of W J Elliott was not taken up

Wounded Two

JACKSON Ky Jan 20 — William Smith was mortally and James Frazier seriously wounded at Quicksand, this county by George Smith Smith is at large though a strong posse has gone in search of him

Became Violently Insane

COLUMBUS O, Jan 20 —Miss Mary M Kiler 22, recently chosen stenographer in the house of representatives became violently insane while at work and was taken to the asylum

Will Delimit Their Frontier

ROME Jan 20 —It is reported from the English embassy that France and England will delimit their frontier on the lower Niger from the right bank of the river to Dahomey

Office Building Burned

NEW YORK Jan 20 —The 2 story brick store and office building at Park avenue and Forty second street was gutted by fire Total loss, $60 000 partially insured

In the Interest of Constables

COLUMBUS O, Jan 20 —A bill is being prepared providing for the appointment of special constables by the regular constable instead of by justices of the peace

Closed With an Overflow Meeting

WASHINGTON Jan 20 —The fourth annual convention of the local Christian Endeavor union closed with an overflowing mass meeting in Central hall.

LYNCHING IS PROBABLE

Outragers of Girls Are Liable to Stretch Hemp.

THE JAIL IS NOW GUARDED.

Assailant of the Wetherell Girl Will Undoubtedly Meet Death at the Hands of a Mob When He Is Finally Rounded Up

PARKERSBURG W Va Jan 20 —The jail is carefully guarded owing to the attempts and threats of lynching those charged with recently assaulting girls Several suspects are held across the Pennsylvania line for the outrage on Lulu Wetherell a week ago The officers do not want to bring any one here charged with the Wetherell attack unless they have evidence owing to the danger of lynching the parties

The second offender is Charles Russell, charged with attempting the ruin of his 8 year old step daughter At the preliminary hearing Justice Beckwith had strongly armed guards present but while the little girl was testifying he adjourned court quickly and rushed Russell back to jail to prevent the crowd in court capturing the prisoner

The crowd followed the officer to the jail, but the prisoner was safely landed and then the guards defied any attack The crowd was dispersed by the announcement that the assailant of Lulu Wetherell was en route to the city There is apprehension of trouble now, although every possible effort has been made to prevent it and the sheriff is strongly reinforced

Negro Suspect Arrested

FAIRMONT W Va Jan 20 —A negro who is supposed to be the assailant of Butler Wetherell's daughter at Parkersburg was arrested here He answers the description of the much wanted man and will be taken to Parkersburg Telegrams from Parkersburg indicate that should this suspect prove to be the right man he will be accorded a warm reception and if the authorities can be outwitted a lynching will result on his arrival

IN BEHALF OF HOLMES

Attorney Bullock Says He Has Evidence to Prove His Innocence

INDIANAPOLIS Jan 20 — Attorney Henry M Bullock professes to have made discoveries which will practically exonerate Holmes of the murder of Howard Pitezel as will select [illegible] places and times when it would have been impossible for Holmes to have committed other crimes charged against him He says he has reliable witnesses by whom to show every movement of Holmes during his sojourn in this city and will trace him through Fort Worth St Louis Des Moines Chicago Detroit Philadelphia New York and elsewhere He makes the sensational statement that he will be able to show at Chicago the truth about the [illegible] rooms [illegible] and the disappearance of [illegible] people who were [illegible] in the newspapers Mr [illegible] says [illegible] Holmes [illegible] New York [illegible] confession

Miss Barton Will Go [to] Turkey

CLEVELAND Jan 20 —Rev [illegible] Congregational secretary of the American board of missions of the Congregational church [illegible] question After the [illegible] that Miss Barton of the Red Cross society would go to Armenia [illegible] the relief fund collected in the United States She would not go without the permission of the Sultan of Turkey

Max Frank Suicides

COLUMBUS O Jan 20 —Max Frank who was formerly in the hotel business in Chillicothe where his store was damaged by suspicious fire soon after which he is said to have assigned committed suicide at the home of his father in law Joseph Bernstein in this city by blowing out his brains He was a member of the state militia at Chillicothe

Suicide of a Child

CINCINNATI Jan 20 —The coroner rendered a verdict that Miss B[illegible] a beautiful little girl only 12 years old came to her death by swallowing a drachm of strychnine with suicidal intent When Mr and Mrs B[illegible] were called to her bed by her groans she pointed to the empty bottle and soon died

Another Crisis In Bulgaria

ST PETERSBURG Jan 20 —Reports received here show that another crisis is at hand in Bulgaria Prince Ferdinand is being openly opposed by Dr Stoiloff and wants to replace him by M Grekoff in the office of prime minister

Ohio Democrats Have a Candidate

CINCINNATI, Jan 20 —The Ohio Democrats will present the name of M Iselle E Ingalls president of the Big Four Chesapeake and Ohio and other railroads to the Chicago convention for the presidential nomination

Colored Man Confessed

SPRINGFIELD O, Jan 20 —George Washington colored confessed to assaulting and robbing John Mendenhall of $710 Thursday night Mendenhall is still in a serious condition Only $ 0 of the money was recovered

Where Is the Queen

SHANGHAI Jan 20 —In spite of the denials of the reported escape of the Queen of Corea from her would be assassins, it is an open secret among diplomats here that the queen is still alive

Prizefighter Arrested

ST LOUIS, Jan 20 — Dutch Neal of this city a well known pugilist of more than local celebrity was arrested for participating in a prize fight with Owen Bartley whose residence is unknown

Killed Two Strikers

WAPOKONETA O Jan 20 —Louis Van Skiver who last summer figured in the riot here and killed two strikers, was convicted of manslaughter His sentence will be given in a few days

IN THE ARMS OF DEATH

Bernhard Gillam the Noted Cartoonist, Joins the Majority.

AMSTERDAM, N Y Jan 20 —Bernhard Gillam the noted cartoonist of Judge died at the home of his father-in-law ex Senator James Arkell of Canajoharie His death was the result of an attack of typhoid fever

Otto Sutro

BALTIMORE Jan 20 —Otto Sutro one of the leading music publishers of the south died in the Maryland hospital, of Bright's disease after a protracted illness His wife and two daughters Ottilie and Rose are in Europe where the daughters have achieved great success as pianists Mr Sutro was born at Aix La Chapelle France in 1833

Judge Brausewetter

BERLIN Jan 20 —Judge Brausewetter who was the severest and most reactionary of the Berlin judges in all political trials is dead He had recently become insane and had been placed in an asylum An attempt is now being made to have some of his severest sentences set aside

Robert M Nixon

CINCINNATI Jan 20 — Robert M Nixon, president of the Fifth National bank in this city and auditor of the treasury department under Harrison's administration died at his old home in Newcastle Ind aged 67 He is related to William Penn Nixon of the Chicago Inter Ocean

Bishop Haygood

COVINGTON, Ga Jan 20 —Bishop Haygood of the Methodist Episcopal church south died at his home in Oxford Ga from paralysis Bishop W W Duncan of South Carolina will preach his funeral service Tuesday morning

Rev William Rogers

LONDON Jan 20 —Rev William Rogers who was the tutor of the Earl of Rosebery is dead

Governor Gamir

HAVANA Jan 20 —General Gamir governor of Porto Rico has died of yellow fever

THAT FLYING SQUADRON

It Will Sail on Wednesday Probably For a Long Cruise

LONDON Jan 20 —The flying squadron has now been completed and is lying off Spithead If the weather is favorable steam will be got up today to enable the admiral to put the squadron in motion

On the [illegible] according to the present programme the [illegible] Saturday will arrive at Osborne in the [illegible] Victoria [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] will [illegible] [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Vice Admiral Dale [illegible] [illegible] for [illegible]

[illegible]

HAVANA Jan 20 —[illegible] Col [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Is [illegible]

ST PETERSBURG Jan 20 —[illegible] the present moment is strictly to avoid being drawn into any combination or complication with America Germany England or any [illegible] but to keep the Armenian question ever [illegible]

General Weyler Accepts

MADRID Jan 20 General Valeriano Weyler has accepted the appointment to the governorship of Cuba He will sail for the island on Friday next General Suarez Valdez has been appointed second in command

New Trust Formed

PHILADELPHIA Jan 20 —The deed of the American Meter company has been put on file here The new combination or meter trust will operate the Meter metal works at Erie those in Albany and in Philadelphia

MARKET REPORTS

Grain and Stock Quotations For Jan 18

New York

[illegible]

Chicago

[illegible]

Pittsburg

[illegible]

Buffalo

Cattle—Market steady
Hogs—Yorkers $4 15@4 20 [illegible] common [illegible] $2 80@3 15 [illegible] mediums and heavies $4 10@4 15 pigs $4 20@4 25
Sheep and lambs—Extra $ 40 to 80 good [illegible] $2 60@3 [illegible] lambs $4 50@4 [illegible] Veal calves $ [illegible]

Cincinnati

Wheat—No 2 red 6[illegible] Corn—No 2 mixed 27½@28½c Oats—No 2 mixed [illegible] Rye—No 2 [illegible]
Lard—$5 55 Bulk meats—$ 00 Bacon—$6 00
Hogs—$3 00@4 0[illegible] Cattle—$ [illegible] Sheep—$ [illegible] Lambs—$ [illegible]

Toledo

Wheat—67c Corn—No 2 mixed [illegible] Oats—No 2 white [illegible] Rye—[illegible] Clover seed—$4 [illegible]

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What was Noah supposed to be doing when the animals were going into the ark ?

Here received several answer At last a little girl put up her hand

"Well" he said "what do you say ?"

"Taking the tickets, sir —Buffalo Times

For a pain in the chest a piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on over the seat of the pain and another on the back between the shoulders will afford prompt relief This is especially valuable in cases where the pain is caused by a cold and there is a tendency toward pneumonia For sale by Melville Bros, next to P O C W Heister, 58 Public Square

A Remarkable Tree

There is a wayward white oak tree near Laporte Ind, that is well puzzle naturalists with the vagaries of its growth The tree is 9 feet in circumference at the base and there are no branches of any size below 15 feet from the ground There the great bole divides into a number of limbs Two leaving the trunk about 20 inches apart, grow west their lines diverging for some 6 feet and then each reaching toward the other Twelve feet from the body of the tree they unite again, making a perfect oval and out of this grow two smaller branches As if not satisfied with that expressed disregard for the laws of nature this old tree has performed another feat Six feet from its base grows another white oak less than half its size and no sooner does the smaller tree arrive at the charmed circles of the two intruding limbs than one of them grows right into it and is absorbed The second tree is very much larger 20 feet from the ground than at its base

To Execute by Carbolic Acid

In Germany the view obtains that the execution of criminals should be by some means more certain even than the electric chair Dr E Cohmann a celebrated chemist suggests the use of carbolic acid According to his plan the criminal would be carried to a cell which can be filled noiselessly with carbolic acid in gaseous form from floor to ceiling When the gas reaches the delinquent's mouth and nose it causes instant paralysis of the lungs and unconsciousness and life departs without previous pain

The total number of applicants for pensions from 1861 to 1894 was 2,071 843 Of these the number of claims allowed was 1,397,006, the total amount of disbursements during that time was $1,71[illegible],275 718 20

Rhode Island although the least of the states, is strong in manufacture, employing 95 976 hands and producing $142,500 625 worth of various line of goods

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong

He failed to use the Celtic Kidney Cure for his kidneys Sold by H F Vortkamp n e corner Main and North streets

Bernhardt at Seaside

Mme Bernhardt spends her holiday in Brittany in an old fortress which she has [illegible] It stands alone on the [illegible] surrounded by cliffs [illegible] The walls are hung with [illegible] holes are enlarged [illegible] Bamboo furniture [illegible] where and it is entirely furnished as a summer residence Mme Bernhardt wore a fisher costume and made the acquaintance of the Breton fisherfolk with her [illegible] The guests of the great actress took their bicycles with them and once a week all the party went to Pal[illegible] to buy their provisions which they carried back with them

Dr Hand's Colic Cure

SPRINGFIELD O Jan 5 1895 — The Hand Medicine Co Philadelphia —We have used the sample bottle of Dr Hand's Colic Cure with entire success and find that it does all that is claimed for it No praise can be too great for such a truly wonderful remedy, and we cheerfully recommend it to anyone having a baby with the colic I remain sincerely yours, Ferdinand M King, 86 Scott street " Dr Hand's Remedies for Children sold by all druggists 25c

Refused the King

Henry VIII had six wives The most extraordinary ambition was displayed by the fair sex in general to obtain the dangerous distinction of being his queen One instance alone is quoted of his meeting with a refusal, and that was on the part of a witty duchess of Milan who replied to his offer "that she unfortunately had but one head and could not afford to lose it "

Many merchants are well aware that their customers are their best friends and take pleasure in supplying them with the best goods obtainable As an instance we mention Perry & Cameron, prominent druggists of Flushing, Michigan They say "We have no hesitation in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to our customers as it is the best cough medicine we have ever sold and always gives satisfaction For sale at 25 and 50 cents by Melville Bros, next to P O C W Heister 58 Public Square

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[illegible] would say not, as she rejoined. She was willing to admit that the fowl's wings and tail feathers would be upon her head, but it was perfectly absurd to talk about blood.—Detroit Tribune.

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4—			8 50 pm
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11—Going South		ex Sunday	5 15 am
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WOMAN'S WORLD.

HOW SUZANNE KEYSER WON THE MEDAL AT THE INSTITUT RUDY

Young Old Maids—Discrimination Against Women—A Successful Woman Barber—Ideal Dress of the Working Woman—The Limit of Woman's Work.

Philadelphia has many people and many things to be proud of but it is not generally known that one of its fair daughters has won such distinction as has never before fallen to the lot of an American. This young woman, not yet 21 years of age is Miss Suzanne Keyser the daughter of Mr. Charles S. Keyser the well known lawyer. So quietly has she reaped her unusual honors that few outside of the circle of her most intimate acquaintances are aware that she an American born and English speaking maiden went to France and in Paris, its literary and artistic center won the medal for dramatic ability at the Institut Rudy against at least 800 competitors all of whom were French.

How she won the medal which never before has crossed the ocean is told by her in a bright pleasing fashion, essentially girlish and very winning in its utter absence from any trace of egotism.

"I have always loved to recite, and to be trained by some member of the Comedie Francaise seemed to be the height of my ambition. Therefore when papa took me to Paris I made up my mind that I should at least aim for what I had always been dreaming about. Therefore one morning we went to see

SUZANNE KEYSER.

Duquesnel at the theater and I told him I wanted to become one of his pupils. He looked me all over shrugged his shoulders gave me a little piece of poetry and said 'Come to my house to-morrow and recite that to me.' When to-morrow came we went to see him. As I entered he said in a sort of patronizing fashion 'Don't be frightened.' Up to that minute I had no thought of being frightened but just then a big lump came up in my throat which had never been there before. For a minute I felt I was going to break down but I conquered the fear and did the best I knew how. When I was through he rose, kissed me on the forehead and called me his pupil. For years I studied with him—oh he was such a man the best and cleverest teacher in the world. Rome Mounet—all of the poets and dramatists I lived with constantly, each day being more perfect in my French of course. When my course with him was concluded I went to the Institut Rudy as a sort of finishing touch. A year more there and the time came for me to go home. On Thursday I said goodby to my fellow students as I expected to sail on Saturday, and back to the pension that had been my home for so long I went to finish my packing. The old lady who kept it and whom I had always supposed disliked me was very affectionate kissing me on both cheeks and I could also see that she was more than ordinarily excited.

'Put on your best gown mademoiselle' said she and I puzzled all the while at her demeanor obeyed. My astonishment was greater when we started off in a fiacre the bus or tram being usually good enough for us. Soon we drew up at the Francaise, but instead of going in the front way I followed her to the stage entrance. Here my teacher met me and kissing me on the forehead said 'In three minutes mademoiselle you are to make your debut.'

'You can imagine my feelings as he told me what to do and after I had gone out before that vast audience and given a tragic scene from one play, a bit of comedy from another and finished up with the little poem I had first recited in Paris I felt as though I was the most dismal failure in the world. There was an awful silence and no one seemed to look at me or care about me. Then all of a sudden there was a great clapping of hands as a man stepped forth and handed me this medal. I didn't know it was for me and didn't want to take it but then M. Vernon came to my side and in the midst of the enthusiasm told me how he had entered me in the competition without my knowing it how the judges were not willing that an American should compete and the condition was to have me go on to-day unprepared to make things fair in their own minds. Yet after all in their own language and because they really judged me the best, the medal was handed to an American girl, whom every one, even the judges, up to that moment had regarded as 'French'.—Philadelphia Times.

Young Old Maids.

At a very smart wedding a few days ago it suddenly occurred to me that the eminently lovely bride walking down the aisle was not a day under 30 years of age and yet she had never been thought of as anything but a young and beautiful woman, and the term 'old maid' would have been as likely to be applied to the man at her side as to herself, and I could not but think how notably in this regard the old order changeth giving place to new.

Maidens who have passed their thirtieth year may now claim that they represent the most perfect and advanced type of maidenhood and look down upon girls who marry before 25 as very much more akin to savages, for it is a well known fact that the age of marriage advances with civilization. Among the Australians and other savages girls marry at 11, 10 or even 9 years of age, among semicivilized Egyptians, Hindoos etc. the age is from 12 to 14, southern Europeans marry their girls between the ages of 15 and 18 while among the nations who lead modern civilization the age is a constantly rising one—from 17 or 18 of 50 years ago the average has risen to between 21 and 25. And does it not follow, by inexorable logic, that girls who wait until 28 or 30 are forerunners of a still higher civilization?

It is not only a fact that women marry later in life than they used but it is equally true that everywhere the more mature woman is to the fore. The young and inexperienced bud has ceased to be the reigning queen of the hour. She has been forced to yield her place to the maturer woman, the woman of cultivated mind and manners, of broader experience and wider knowledge.

All this is only the natural result of evolution. With her deeper interests, wider outlook, enlarged sympathies, she scarcely feels the relentless march of the years, and with all the new light upon her physical care and condition she can easily look as young as she feels. Rouge pots, wigs and hair dyes have happily gone their way and fresh air, exercise, baths and diet have taken their place.—New York Sun.

Discrimination Against Women.

It is not difficult to find an excuse for the refusal of the men of Massachusetts to give the ballot to women. So long as the masses of female citizens of that or any other state are indifferent on the suffrage question then fathers, husbands and brothers will not insist on loading them with political burdens or duties. This may or may not be the best policy, but it harmonizes with human nature and is likely to stand. The advocates of equal suffrage should see in recent events in New York and Massachusetts, that their work lies among the women, that a desire for the ballot on the part of a majority of the women is a condition precedent to their getting it. Appeals to legislatures or constitutional conventions and to party conventions will have little effect while the women remain in a indifferent state of mind.

But the fact that the women of Massachusetts do not vote cannot for school officers is not a good reason for discriminating against them in public employments. Indeed their exclusion from any participancy in making laws is assessing taxes and deciding what amount of money shall be expended for this third and the other purpose ought to inspire the voters and their official agents with a desire and purpose to carefully guard the rights and interests of the nonvoting sex. But it does not appear to have done so. On the contrary the women in all parts of the state are treated not fairly in the one public employment in which they are and always have been conspicuously successful—that of a teacher.

Justice demands that a woman be paid the same wages as a man for teaching in the public schools. It is not just to pay women only $18 per month for work in public schools for which men receive $1.8.—Exchange.

A Successful Woman Barber.

Mrs. Anne Howard has opened a barber shop near the Brooklyn bridge, where all the work is done by women—done most delicately and delightfully. 'I believe it would be a good idea to have a couple of colored women to polish boots' she said to a New York reporter. 'As soon as men get over the strangeness of it they like to have a woman take care of them. I learned how to shave out west where most of the new ideas come from these days. I have two shops in Chicago that are doing a good business. In one of them while I was working there with four others just before coming east we took in $120 a week and the business is growing.

'I am going to open a shop in New York before long—that is as soon as I am well started here. Rents are so much higher over there in my location that I should come to have that I thought I had better be settled in Brooklyn first. My trade here is better every day. Wednesdays and Saturdays I am very busy. I shall have two more women here within a week or ten days. Of course it isn't as easy to find really good women barbers as it is to find men but I know so many that I shall not have any trouble.

'The men in the business don't like the idea at all and every now and then I receive anonymous letters from some man barber or other. All I have to say for the writers is that while they were writing they were not doing anything else and that they haven't done me any harm.'

Philadelphia has a college for barbers where women are admitted. Some of them better like Mrs. Howard as an example and start out for themselves.—Philadelphia Press.

Ideal Dress of the Working Woman.

Mrs. Martha Stirling Kinnard is not only a lawyer and a lecturer on parliamentary law but a warm advocate of physical culture and correct dress. This talented woman, who is yet young and charming and graceful carries out her ideas regarding correct dress in an artistic and picturesque way that is decidedly pleasing even to very fastidious people.

In appearance she is of medium height and plump. Her face is full the expression pleasant with a mouth and chin that denote firmness and strength. Her eyes are of deep blue and light up with animation when she talks. Recently when asked to give her idea of the working woman's costume she said:

"The ideal dress of the working woman would banish the skirt but even if such abolition were possible it would do some for all other occasions to have the skirt. The masculine idea in female dress is one which is thoroughly inartistic. It is true men's dress is more convenient than that of women, but this is its sole advantage for it is hopelessly ugly and why women should imitate it in any respect I cannot imagine. They have not adopted its utilitarian features, but have taken those which are most undesirable. Naturally the corset is an obstacle in the way of dress improvement, by wasting loose plain waists, which is a slovenly fashion not in any artistic one. It was a bad expression of a good kind and the corseted figure has this advantage that it is a good expression of a bad kind. So we prefer the smooth fitting corseted waist of the two, for we all like skill.—New York World.

The Limit of Women's Work.

Now come the questions, What should be the limit of women's work? Where should they draw the line? This at any rate is possible to answer, "At that point where their work ceases to do good." As soon as a woman feels she is in a position in which the best and noblest of men cease to look upon her with reverence then she may be sure she has overstepped the limits of womanly dignity and reserve and that there her influence will not be pure, elevating and noble.

There is plenty of real work for all of us to do beyond the sphere of home in the fields of art, science and literature, and also like Florence Nightingale and many other brave women as nurses and comforters of the sick, the wounded and the dying.

Woman's influence is sometimes said to be greater now than in past times. It is more palpable certainly, but I doubt whether more potent, for as we know well for centuries the hand that rock the cradle ruled the world. The difference is that nowadays women are not content to work quietly as mere wire pullers. Instead they like to see and be seen and to have the credit of their deeds.

The old idea was that 'men must work and women must weep.' But the newer idea that women should work according to their talents and opportunities seems more rational and healthy and is calculated to make them weep less. Let them give over weeping by all means but in all their work let them remember that 'woman is not undeveloped man but diverse,' and therefore not to try to be like men, and also not to think that nothing is too high or too sacred for them to meddle with.—Home Notes.

Equality.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor a member of the House of Commons, has views up to date of society. In his perfectionism he and women will enjoy social and political equality.

Mr. O'Connor, says the ardent champion of women should be placed in an economic position that marriage will not be entered into by her as the last and the only means she has of getting a livelihood. Every woman should be brought to be self supporting if she believes she who love to live by their own time and indeed when she does so she not to learn to help herself for even settled facts may disappear in the wealthiest classes wo man should be given the highest education so as to be capable of receiving so great a boon and if she desire to have one—and to herself she is supposed to be alone. But the dominant sense of the situation is a series of counterbalancing by the other and Mr. O'Connor's ideal couple will be married at 17 and every man and woman.

Just Small in Wellesley.

Well they college should produce some brilliant minds in the journalistic line within a few years. One of the correspondents is entered during the junior year is in receipt per week. It is for students who have done superior work. Per contra reporting, commercial editing, indexing of editorial topics and reviews with the study of current events and half years work of great value to those who have proved their ability in it.

Gave All Her Scanty Savings.

Miss Caroline Ingersoll of Whitehall, Wis., a school teacher for 30 years of age, has turned over to Banker J. O. Melby $200 of her all of her scanty savings for the last 12 years to be sent to the suffering missionaries and Armenians in Turkey. The old lady insisted on making the donation and so Mr. Melby forwarded the money to the Lutheran Missionary society at Stravanger, Norway.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Josephine Cunin.

Dr. Josephine Cunin, gold medalist Bellevue, has been one of the few women who tried for the degree of L. R. C. P. and brilliant failing high test. Miss Cunin is at present in Paris.

Miss Helen Culver has given $1,000,000 to the Hull-House in Chicago. It is a very fortunate fact for friends of equal rights when women of moral courage and wealth use the opportunity to remember their sex.

The page for Lima women is finely extend towards literally from head to foot for lace slippers and low shoes made of stiffened net and trimmed with lace rosettes to shown for ballroom wear.

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S. F. Frey of 677 Sedgwick street, Chicago says: 'I had a severe cough which settled on my lungs. I tried a number of advertised remedies and also placed myself under treatment of several physicians, with no benefit. I was recommended to try Foley's Honey and Tar. With little expectation of getting relief, I purchased a bottle. I had taken but few doses when I felt greatly improved. I was enabled to sleep, spitting of blood ceased, and by the time I had taken the second bottle I was entirely well. It saved my life.' H. F. Vorthamp, n. e. corner Main and North streets.

All of Sugar

What cannot be done with sugars? In the confectionery department of an English exhibit is a ship made of colored sugars, a picture of a ship on the water, with a man fishing on the coast, the clouds in the sky, and flowers growing on the shores. The wide frame was made of chocolate.

Not a few who read what Mr. Robert Rowls of Hollands, Va., has to say below will remember their own experience under like circumstances. 'Last winter I had la grippe which left me in a low state of health. I tried numerous remedies, none of which did me any good, until I was induced to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it so far relieved me that I was enabled to attend to my work and the second bottle effected a cure.' For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Melville Bros., next to P. O., C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8656. Page 20.

First National Bank of Wapakoneta, Ohio, plaintiff, vs. Allen Spyker et al., defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1st, A. D. 1896,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements situate in the City of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

Being inlot number 220, being 50x200 feet except thirty (30) feet off of the north side of said lot 220, and ten (10) feet off of the south side of inlot 2236, 10x300 feet in Wise's addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $1200.00.
Inlot number 1728 and 1729 in Jamieson's second addition to the City of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.
Inlot 1728 appraised at $900.00.
Inlot 1729 appraised at $900.00.
Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, December 27, 1895.
Layton & Steuve, Plaintiff's attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ex. Doc. 8. Page 232.

Geo. W. Mantis, Plaintiff, vs. Mary O'Mara, Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15th, A. D. 1896,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements situate on the southeast corner of Metcalf and Vine streets in Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number three thousand five hundred and fifty three (3553) in Fairview addition to Lima, Allen county, Ohio, and situated on the southeast corner of Vine and Metcalf streets in said city and county.

Appraised at $900.00.
Terms of Sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, January 13th, 1896.
Brotherton & Brotherton, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of the estate of Elizabeth Fahey, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

P. J. FOLEY.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8615. Page 286.

Ex. Doc. 8.

Schable & Schable, Plaintiff, vs. J. A. Newell, Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, A. D. 1896,

between the hours of one (1) o'clock and four (4) o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements situate on south McDonald street in the city of Lima, Allen County, Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

The two thirds (2/3) part of the north half (½) of the north half of inlot number eighty-nine (89) and the north half of the north half (½) of inlot number ninety (90), both in McDonald's addition to the town of Lima, new numbers being 440 and 441 in said Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $1,800.
Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, January 11, 1896.
L. A. Cable, Plaintiff's Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 794. Page 43.

Merritt & Company, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph A. Defrinnah, Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a vendi exponas issued from the court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th, A. D. 1896,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements situate on south Main street in the city of Lima, Ohio, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

Inlot number nineteen hundred and eighty six (1986) in Anderson's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $200.00.
Terms of Sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, January 6th, 1896.
Brotherton & Brotherton, plaintiff's attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8600. Page 267.

The First National Bank of Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff, vs. Charles M. Hughes, Jr., et al., Defendant. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1st, A. D. 1896,

between the hours of one (1) o'clock and four (4) o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements situate on west Market street in the city of Lima, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number fifteen hundred and twenty one (1521) in Blackburn's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $4,500.00.
Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 30, 1895.
H. L. Brice, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Charles P. Collins, resident in the city of Bradford, McKean county, State of Pennsylvania, P. H. Adams, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 21st day of December, 1895, George P. Wardorf filed his cross petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, case number 7[illegible], praying for partition of lot number two thousand eight hundred and thirty two (2832) and the northwest quarter of section thirty six (36), township three (3) south, range six (6) east, both in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, and that said parties are required to answer on or before the 10th day of February, 1896, or decree will be taken against them.

12 21 6w. GEORGE P. WARDORF.

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of William Lipsett, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of William Lipsett, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 30th day of December, A. D. 1895.

J. N. CLUTTER, Executor.

12 30 3w.

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Timothy Kalther, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Timothy Kalther, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 7th day of January, A. D. 1896.

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ORIES OF EUGENE FIELD

the Poet That Are Told Among His Chicago Friends.

g one financial crisis that cially severe Eugene Field e a way out of his difficul- ept to ask for a raise of sal- l that was as abhorrent to nature as it would have been mean action. Several days ission he came to the office l to make appeal to Mr. nd each day he went home failed to nerve himself up to eaking point. Finally he a thoroughly characteristic on and for a week was not the office at all. Then one on he marched into Mr. office followed by four of his tidies the five of them pre- such a pitiable appearance d have wrung tears from his er had his heart and his name ynonymous which was far ering the case. Father and a were dressed in rags and from head to foot the chil- oes were sticking out thro holes in their shoes their clothes unwashed and their eyes if they had been crying himself was in no better and there the five stood in f Mr. Stone, speaking not a nt looking at him with ap glances. All this of course en carefully rehearsed by ning the week of conspiracy, e result was simply over ng. At last Field broke the looking at his employer, who o his best friend out of those so full of human kindness, l you think you can see your r Stone, to raising my sal- less to say he got the raise s eccentricity showed itself books he purchased many of d no possible bearing upon k and indeed had small in- value. 'My library,' he say, 'is full of fool books,' re was some truth in this ample he had hundreds of s containing the works of an and or the most part un- pocts. Nothing pleased him n to buy some little volume rable verse produced by s Peoria or Coldwater or any nsignificant place, and these ld range proudly with the and sometimes turn over the 'just to see how bad they' He said that things had to er very good or very bad in o please him of the queer things he did at ws office was the establishing t he called the "Field me- window" really a portion of door over which he had an raw a cherub with the ortho- ngs attached to his own head e. Under this cherub's head delight in pasting all the eable clippings he could gath newspapers and periodicals ing any one in the office and lly about himself. This win- me to be regarded as a regu- letin board of spleen, and quiet chuckle Field would atching the long faces of his mions as they read sarcastic ntious remarks about them never cared how much fun ide of him, and he was the applaud when the laugh was wn expense.—New York Sun.

Be Pledged.

sure your sin will find you and a man who has a weak r high hate, which is mean with his general mode of "At the instance of my wife, d not like his styles, I adam my old hatter not long ago t a hat at another shop. For would discover this I went the block rather than pass op when on my way to bust- ly postponed the evil day. I seat in a restaurant yester- the very table at which one salesmen was seated. He as he saw my hat, but at oked the other way. When up, he said pleasantly that ed I would come back to them long. One comfort is that I have to go around the block ore."—Exchange.

erly there is no other knowl- it that which is got by work- he real is all yet a hypothe- owledge, a thing to be

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TALES OF THE TOWN

There will be an examination in practical arithmatic in all the public schools to-morrow

Mr and Mrs F W Simons entertained friends at their home on the Spencerville road, last night

The government building has been wired for electric light, the work being completed this morning

The Passing Show Co came in on the C, A & D from Toledo at 1 o clock this afternoon, occupying two cars

James Sawey has opened a first class meat store in the room next to the Lima Tea Co, in the Bowdle block

The crowds of skaters at Hover s and McCullough s lakes last night were unusually large and the sport is reported excellent

Miss Bertha Hatch, teacher at the west building and Miss Nina Lehman, of the east building, are ill and substitute teachers are in charge of their schools

Ed Titus returned last night from Marysville where he accompanied Chas Gottfried, who entered the Keely institute Gottfried grew worse before Marysville was reached but did not harm himself

POLICE COURT

Two Prisoners Fined To-day by Acting Mayor Atmur

Geo Hoffnagle, who yesterday pleaded not guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct, changed his plea to-day and was fined $10 by Squire Atmur, who is acting mayor during His Honor's illness

Pat Burk, arrested last night for drunkenness, was fined $3 60 and committed in default.

ABOUT PEOPLE

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

W B Richie is in Washington, D C.

L. L. Doggett, State Y M C A Secretary, is in the city.

A. J. Redway, Jr, of Cincinnati, is here looking after his oil interests

Miss Frances Freeman is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Col. Orr, in Piqua

Assistant Paymaster A C. Thomas, of the L. E & W., was in the city last evening.

Mrs. John Campbell, of St Mary's, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Dutton, of north Pierce street.

Mr Earl Hell, of Cincinnati, is the guest of his brother, John Hell, and family, of west Wayne street

Misses Rose and Katie Reel have returned from a pleasant and extended visit with friends in Columbus.

Miss Emma Jones, of Van Wert, and Miss Emelie Vetter, of Delphos, are students at the Lima Business College.

Mr. and Mrs J F Swathwood and daughter, of Brice, Ind, are guests of Conductor and Mrs. Chas Jeffries, of east Vine street

Joe Linderman, of Lima, is here to attend the funeral of the little babe of Mr and Mrs Herman Claflin, which was accidentally shot yesterday —*Delphos Herald*

Basket Ball Postponement.

On account of the death of Mr J M Waugh, the match game of basket ball between the clerks and business men announced for to morrow evening, has been postponed until Monday evening.

NEW BUILDINGS

Discussed by the Board of Ed[ucation] Last Night.

Another Ward Building will be [one of] the Improvements to be Mad[e] Business the Board Transac[ted] Night

The regular meeting of the [Board] of Education was held last [night] with Messrs Jones, Prophet, [Galar]neau and Mrs Vicary present

Bills aggregating $400 we[re aud]ited and allowed, and the sa[laries for] January were granted

An application made by T[...] Caskey was read, and upon [motion] was received and filed.

Messrs Galarneau, Proph[et and] Supt Miller, the committe[e who] visited and inspected new [school] buildings in several Indiana [towns] made an informal report, th[e sub]stance of which appeared [in the] TIMES-DEMOCRAT several days [ago]

A brief discussion was held r[elative] to the proposed buildings here [The] board is now unanimous in th[e opin]ion that a new ward building [should] be built in the seventh ward [about] midway between the present [west] building and the Lima College [The] present west buildin[g] though containing sixteen roo[ms in]cluding the annex, is overcr[owded] and another building in the [west] part of the city would be a ne[cessity] within a few years even if th[e pro]posed new west building sho[uld be] larger than the present one. [The] members of the board who wer[e pres]ent at the meeting thought t[he] west building should not be [built] again after this term of schoo[l and] think it advisable to comple[te as] soon as possible the necessar[y ar]rangements preparatory to begi[nning] the improvement

The committee will leave [some] next week to visit new buildi[ngs at] Toledo, Tiffin Mansfield and M[...] The inspection will not be conf[ined ex]clusively to the committee, b[ut other] members of the board who can [will] go The members and also th[e citi]zens seem to be taking a great [inter]est in the proposed improven[ents] and it is reasonable to expect [Lima] to have some model school buil[dings] within the near future

GOOD WORK

Accomplished at Deshler by Dete[ctive] Geo Peck, of this City.

Detective George Peck, of th[e C] H & D, has just completed a [good] piece of work at Deshler, and as [a re]sult of his efforts three young m[en] that place will probably land in [the] penitentiary

A few nights before Christm[as a] car on the B & O at Deshler [was] broken into and some of the con[tents] stolen On Christmas eve a ca[r on] the C, H & D was broken open [and] a box of slot machines, a ke[g of] brandy, two hams and a lot of [whis]key and fine cut tobacco st[olen]

Detective Peck went to wor[k on] the case and a few days ago H [...] Zimmerman, Joe Pfaff and R[...] Courtney, of Deshler, were b[ound] over to the grand jury at Napo[leon] on charges of grand larceny. O[n ac]count of former experience [with] the authorities at Deshler, Mr [Peck] refused to trust the cases to pre[lim]inary trials there, but took t[hem] to Napoleon, where he recently [had] another Deshler boy indicted [for] placing obstructions upon the C[, H] & D track at the latter place

Detective Peck also unear[thed] most of the stolen property w[hich] had been buried in sawdust at a [saw] mill.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

THE BRICE LINES

It seems that the Brice people [are] not satisfied with what they hav[e re]cently added to the L E & W [sys]tem and are projecting new lines [A] dispatch from Youngstown, say[s a] large corps of surveyors under [in]structions of Senator Brice [are] engaged in running a [line...] the business and man[...] t[...] of the city for [...] Akron & Western[...] as shown by the [...]

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The war cloud is again arising, this time over the possibility of the Spanish Government attempting to sell Cuba to the English

The Foraker people having elected Fire Alarm to the Senate thereby boosting him a distance further up the ladder than McKinley has yet been ably to climb, are now busily engaged in a vigorous effort to keep McKinley from realizing on his part of the Zanesville agreement in the support of the Ohio contingent at the St Louis convention The following bit of gossip from the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati *Enquirer* is suggestive of the anti McKinley feeling among the Foraker boomers

Colonel Charles B Wing, of Cincinnati, who, it is claimed, is the handsomest of Governor Bushnell's staff, dropped in here to-day He is proud over the inaugural ceremonies at Columbus, and is particularly elated over the new Senator-elect from the Buckeye State Since leaving Columbus and the gay festivities that characterized the induction in office of General Bushnell and the selection of ex-Governor Foraker to succeed Colonel Brice in the United States Senate, Colonel Wing has been at Niagara Falls, where he owns a great paper mill, and also at Watertown, where his firm is constructing another

"I was not a little surprised," he said, "over the way Eastern Republicans are discussing Governor Foraker as a very likely dark horse for the Presidential nomination "

"Your friendship for Foraker probably exaggerated the importance of the talk you have heard?" was suggested to him

"Not a bit of it," remarked the Colonel "Of course, it pleased me, but what I have heard in New York came to me from best sources, and without having been prompted by anything from myself It was not said that the Governor would be the Presidential nominee, but I notice that he is commanding attention of those who make Presidents There is no mistake about that When you think back over how Garfield was nominated at Chicago—just after he had been elected to the Senate, too, and before he took his seat—why, I am inclined to believe that there may be a few surprises dealt out at St Louis I shall be on hand, too, to assist in the yelling in case Foraker is chosen at the convention "

The New York *Sun* says of Ohio s new Senator

The election of Hon Joseph Benson Foraker as a Senator in Congress from Ohio lays a serious and perhaps unwelcome duty upon the Senate Committee on Acoustics and Ventilation Mr Foraker will fill the Senate Chamber as it has never been filled before He can produce more echoes than any living man He can surround himself in a moment with a thick cloud of fumes and odors of the burning marl His friends admit that he is a little impetuous and when he gets his impetus going at full speed the strongest ceilings crack, the stoutest iron banded beams fly all to pieces, the pillars of marble melt, stone floors are turned to straw, and the presiding officer has to be taken out in an ambulance Give Mr Foraker plenty of air All there is he will need And study his acoustics Hear him and ventilate him

Y M C A GATHERING

Announcement of the Change in the Office Force

There was a large turn out of men yesterday at the men s meeting at Y M C A

Miss McKibben rendered some fine music

Mr Williams first made an announcement of his temporarily leaving the work, and urged the members to rally to the help of the incoming management Mr Turner then followed with a short gospel talk It was a good meeting

Mr Williams is threatened with a nervous break down and is compelled by his physician to quit work for a while A rest of a few months will restore him, when he will again resume his work here

In the meantime, Mr P G Turner, formerly acting secretary at the Toledo Y M C A, has been secured to give practically all his time to the work The association is very fortunate in being able to secure Mr Turner at this time

James B Mackie at the Faurot Opera House, Wednesday Evening, January 22nd

The popular young comedian, James B Mackie, will be seen in the great laughing comedy, "Grimes' Cellar Door," which is said to be gay, merry fun from first to last, relieved only by bright musical numbers, songs, dances and specialties which are thickly strewn throughout the performance Much is expected of this attraction as Mackie's work as "Grimsey, Me Boy" in "A Bunch of Keys," —the original company— while excellent, gave promise of his doing even better work in a better comedy His supporting company is large and strong His success the past five years all over the country—from east to west and south through New Orleans and the state of Texas—proves that the public have accepted him as a home favorite and have given him recognition despite any and all opposition This year he will make a tour clean across the continent to California, and has engaged the best and strongest company he could find to support him at his first appearance on the Pacific coast This season's company is very strong and the best the "Cellar Door" ever had, and includes such clever artists as Miss Louise Sanford, Miss Vives Nobrila, Miss Dora Thorne and Miss Lydia Pierce The original Gotham City Quartette, the highest salaried and acknowledged peer of quartettes, is a special feature with Mr Mackie's company this year

Notice to Stockholders

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lima Iron Fence Company, for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the parlors of the City Bank on Tuesday, January 21st, 1896, at 7 p m H. KIBBY, Secretary
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MRS. J. B LOMISON ILL.

Well Known Lady Taken Suddenly Sick Last Night

Last night about 6 30 o'clock Mrs J B Lomison, of the south side, was taken suddenly ill on south Elizabeth street, and was unable to reach her home at Vine and Main street

She was taken into J W Kemper's residence, where she suffered a hemorrhage. Dr Bowser and Dr Herrmann were summoned and she was removed to her home and to-day she is said to be nearly recovered

IMPURE DRUGS

Get Several Spencerville Dealers into Trouble.

Chief Haller left for Spencerville this afternoon, armed with warrants for the arrest of Samuel Croft, Lawrence Miller, Phillip Stummer, J M Beard, M A Marx and R H Hardison, all of Spencerville

Affidavits were signed before the mayor by State Drug Inspector E L Mansfield, who charges the six Spencerville dealers with selling impure whisky and other drugs

L A TO O R C

Installed Officers and Banqueted Saturday Evening

The installation of officers of the L A to O R C took place in Mitchell's hall Saturday evening

The hall was beautifully decorated with red, white and blue bunting, and lanterns of different colors and presented a bright and pretty appearance The neatly arranged tables with their linen and China ware and lovely throws The ladies had invited their husbands to witness the exercises Mrs E H Mattice, the past grand president was prevailed upon to act as installing officer, and and served in this capacity with much credit

She was ably assisted by the grand senior, Mrs W W Armstrong Following is the list of officers installed

President Mrs A N Ridenour
Vice President, Mrs T Mulcahy,
Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs M H Lynch Senior Mrs J P Jackson, Junior, Mrs D M Anderson Guard, Mrs W E Stout Chrm Ex Com, Mrs J L Edmonston Correspondent, Mrs W W Armstrong

During and following the ceremonies Mrs Vanguuten rendered some delightful music on the piano After the installation Mrs Mattice as president, thanked all present for their kind attention and announced that they might have the freedom of the floor until supper was ready after which all sat down to the enjoyment of the banquet The following menu was served

Oat ken	Cold Ham
Home Made Bread	Potato Salad
Rusks Celery	Cole Slaw
Fruit Assorted Cakes	Pickles
Coffee	

At the close of the banquet Mrs Mattice spoke a few words that were brief, but appropriate after which they closed by singing the closing ode, "God be with You till We meet Again" after which they all dispersed to their homes The entire evening was most enjoyably spent by all in attendance

The Yankee genius has left untried few materials which might be available for the purpose of penmaking Among the inventions patented have been pens made of hickory and other kinds of flexible wood found in our forests

The second war with Great Britain began June 18, 1812, and ended on Feb 17, 1815 It involved the enlistment of 471 622 volunteers and the service of 85 000 regulars, a total of

COLUMBIA FACTS.

Expert Opinion Columbias to pay a higher duty to the Canadian Government than any other make

To occupy the highest position attainable sometimes operates to one's disadvantage An instance of this kind has recently occurred, although the silver lining to the cloud appears in the further recognition that Columbias are unequalled and unapproached There can be no doubt that this testimony although expert, was entirely unsolicited and in a measure, at least, unwelcome

Columbia bicycles with all others are obliged to pay AD VALOREM duty upon entering Canada, it of course remaining with the custom officials of that country to determine just how much this should be The many claims put forward by the various makers as to the relative values of their wheels were somewhat perplexing to the officers of the government however, and some accurate method of determining the valuation was therefore necessary Accordingly the Canadian government sent an appraiser to visit the principal bicycle factories in this country, and ascertain as far as possible, the exact value of the various makes This investigation covered a long period, and was decidedly thorough with the result that Columbia bicycles are rated seven and a half per cent higher than any other make, and are compelled to pay duty upon that valuation As "he who would dance must pay the piper," it appeares that Columbias are at times obliged to pay for the privilege of being the Standard of the world

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Ladies' heavy ribbed Union Suits, for this sale	63c
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Ladies black satteen Skirts neatly embroidered, $1 25 and $1 50 values	98c
Children s choice, cashmere Dresses $1 00 and $1 50 goods	$2 50
Ladies trimmed, muslin Drawers, 50 and 65c goods	42c
Ladies' trimmed, muslin Skirts, $1 25 ones	98c
Ladies' trimmed muslin gowns, 85c kind	69c
Ladies' coney and hare Muffs value $1 50 and $1 75	98c
Ladies French seal Muffs, $2 50 goods,	$1.48
Children s white Fur Sets 75c ones	49c
Children s Silk and cashmere Caps the 50 and 75c kind	35c
Children's silk and cloth Caps, value 75 and $1 00	50c
Children's choice Cap, $1 25 and $1 50 goods	75c
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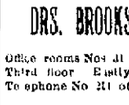

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FRANK CROWDER

Suspended as Guard at the Columbus Penitentiary

Two prisoners, Mooney and Jones, made their escape from the penitentiary Saturday morning by scaling a wall, and Frank Crowder, guard from this county, has been suspended on suspicion of having aided the men

A dispatch from Columbus to day says

Warden James, of the penitentiary, believes that the circumstances surrounding the escape of John Mooney and Frank Jones yesterday morning are sufficient to arouse grave suspicion.

The Warden has ascertained that Frank Crowder was with the escaped prisoners under peculiar circumstances yesterday morning Crowder's place is in what is known as the "east hall" He has never been known in the past to leave his duty to go into any other part of the institution Last night, however, shortly before 12 o clock, he left his post and went to the boiler houses where Mooney and Jones were employed He conversed with them in low tones some time, and then left It is alleged he soon afterward returned and told them something in a low voice, and then he hastened away Crowder has refused to give any reasonable explanation of his conduct The warden suspended him, and his case will be investigated to morrow The warden has discharged John Laird, of Jackson county one of the guards from whom the prisoners escaped The warden believes that Laird had nothing to do with the escape from a standpoint of corruption but that he was asleep when the convicts got away

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Dress Goods in new effects Linings go in free during our sale TREAT
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Coal—Hard, Soft

And smithing coal at Mayo's

SENATOR BRICE'S FRIENDS

Are the Ones Who Worked in His Interest,

But They Paid Their Own Expenses, and He Refused to Make an Effort in His Own Behalf

It is not generally known, says a dispatch from Columbus, that Senator Brice absolutely refused to lift a finger to secure a vote for himself in the recent senatorial election It is true that a number of his friends—Walter B Richie, Geo W Hull and Matt Smalley among others—were on the ground previous to the caucus and did their best in his behalf But what they did was without authority from Mr. Brice, despite all statements to the contrary. They were here at their own expense and came without being asked to do so This, however, is not the surprising part of the affair It is asserted upon very good authority that Senator Brice refused even to recognize the efforts that were being made by these unselfish friends, preferring to let the matter drift where it would

Upon the same information, it is stated that their letters, telegrams and other communications were unanswered, much to their surprise and sorrow An urgent appeal to place himself in a certain attitude, the last request of these friendly spirits, made on the day of the caucus, was treated like the rest In fact the only communication ever received from him was a personal telegram to Representative Rusler, of his own county, thanking him and his fellows for voting for him It was whispered during the week preceding the caucus that a certain legislator with an eye to the main chance, bothered Mr Brice's friends in no small degree by his assumed hostility to the Senator's reindorsement After some diplomacy it was learned that all that this fair minded citizen wanted was his campaign expenses made good before he would vote for Mr Brice The roast that he received was worth coming miles to hear And he voted for Mr Brice after getting it

THE PIERCE STREET DUMP

Being Used for a Garbage Ground—The Nuisance Must Stop

The sanitary policemen and members of the Board of Health are becoming somewhat agitated over the condition of the grounds at the Pierce street bridge which have been used for years as a dumping ground for all sorts of trash

The board has never objected to people dumping refuse matter there that was not unsanitary, but recently the place has been used for a garbage ground and the refuse that has been unloaded there is dangerous to the health of the residents in the Coulson addition

The sanitary officers have been unable to discover parties in the act of placing garbage in the dump, and are of the opinion that the work is being done under cover of darkness by people who do not want to haul their garbage to the garbage grounds north of the city

Hereafter the Pierce street dump will be carefully watched and persons who violate the rules of the Board of Health will be dealt with severely

BASKET BALL

The First Championship Game will Take Place this Evening

This evening at 8 30 o clock, the first match game of basket ball takes place between the clerks and the business men

The clerks are made up as follows Dr Chase, captain, G Plate, A Thomas, R Plate, L H. Kibby, C East and M Michael

The business men S M Churchill, captain H S Moulton, H McDonald B Hughes C B Churchill, T E Thompson and Frank C Cavanaugh

The officials are as follows S L Darrell, referee, Chas Reynolds, umpire, W Campbell, umpire, and P Bethards, scorer and timekeeper

Admission of 5 cents will be charged to the game

The evening class will be in session as usual

The basket ball league is progressing, as up to date we have enough entered to form ten teams

Free Linings given away with each dress pattern sold during our sale TREAT
2 3t

An Unexpected Attack

About forty patriots from the congregation of Christ church, while the rector was attending a choir rehearsal, made a raid upon his home, Saturday evening, fully equipped with the modern weapons of warfare, yet fortunately for him bearing the colors of peace and good will if he should immediately surrender Of course there was nothing else for him to do on his return to the rectory, so after the customary treaty was signed, they left him again in possession The damages were great, and it will be quite a while before he can recover from this well planned invasion

NOTICE the prices we are making on all winter goods Buy now.
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CLEARANCE SALE

Dry Goods,

Cloaks,

Carpets!

JANAURY 20th TO FEBRUARY 1st.

Clearance Sales have never been given here before February. We have decided to give the public the benefit of our sale in January Beginning TO-DAY, January 20th, and continuing until Saturday evening, February 1st, we will sell everything in our store at Special Prices, (except Butterick Patterns and Her Majesty's Corsets, on both of which we are bound by contract to maintain prices.) These special prices will in many cases represent

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Muslins. Our regular 6 Muslin at 4½c 5c Bleached Muslin at 6 c 10c Bleached Muslin at 7½c 9-4 sheeting at 11½c that is worth 16c

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Underwear. lot of Men' Underwear at 24c, formerly 50c Ladies Union Suits marked down from $1 00 to 59c

Corsets. All 50c Corsets at 38c 1 lot of dollar Corsets at 59c Reduced prices on all Corsets except Her Majesty's

Cloaks. Fur Capes have experienced a severe cut Not a single one is marked more than half price All Jackets, both Ladies' and Children's, at half price or less Your especial attention is directed to this department These very low prices should be an incentive to you to call early before the assortment is broken.

Blankets. A beautiful all wool Blanket, worth $4 00, will be sold at $3 19 a pair $5 00 grade, extra large size, at $3 98

Dress Goods. All wool Dress Goods at 19c a yard 50c goods reduced to 38c Specials at 69c, 85, and 98c that are worth 25 per cent more Bargains in Dress Patterns and in Black and Fancy Silks

Shirts. Our regular 50c White Shirts for men (the best 50c Shirt ever sold in Lima) will be sold at 44c during this sale Men's Furnishing Goods at greatly reduced prices

Fascinators. Reduced from 50c and 75c to 19c Shawl Fascinators (new) at 17c up

Carpets. Sale price on all Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums Mattings etc All Wool Ingrain Carpet at 44c a yard These goods will be stored free of charge and and laid when you are ready for them

Portieres. Sale price $4 98, former price $10.00 Sale price $3 69 former price $5 00

Linens. Our Annual Linen Sale will be continued until February 1st That we have the largest stock of Linens in Lima is well known Buying as we do, direct from the manufacturer and in large quantities, enables us to save money for our customers all the year round, but especially during our Linen Sale, when all Linens are sold at less than regular prices

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g one financial crisis that ecially severe Eugene Field ay out of his difficul ept to ask for a raise of sal l that was as abhorrent to nature as it would have been mean action Several days ission he came to the office l to make appeal to Mr and each day he went home failed to nerve himself up to eaking point Finally he a thoroughly characteristic on, and for a week was not the office at all Then one on he marched into Mr office followed by four of his ildren, the five of them pre such a pitiable appearance d have wrung tears from his er had his heart and his name ynonymous, which was far ing the case Father and were dressed in rags and from head to foot the children were sticking out bare holes in their shoes their ere unwashed and their eyes if they had been crying himself was in no better and there the five stood in f Mr Stone speaking not a ut looking at him with ap glances All this of course en carefully rehearsed by ring the week of conspiracy, e result was simply over ng At last Field broke the ooking at his employer, who his best friend, out of those s so full of human kindness, d

you think you can see your r Stone to raising my sal

less to say he got the raise s eccentricity showed itself books he purchased, many of nd no possible bearing upon k and indeed had small in value "My library," he say, "is full of fool books," re was some truth in this ample, he had hundreds of s containing the works of vn and or the most part un poets Nothing pleased him an to buy some little volume erable verse produced by Peoria or Coldwater or any nsignificant place, and these ld range proudly with the and sometimes turn over the "just to see how bad they He said that things had to or very good or very bad in o please him

of the queer things he did at ows office was the establishing at he called the "Field me window," really a portion of door over which he had an raw a cherub with the orthodox attached to his own head e Under this cherub's head delight in pasting all the eable clippings he could gath newspapers and periodicals ing any one in the office and lly about himself This win me to be regarded as a regu- Petin board of spleen, and quiet chuckle Field would atching the long faces of his mons as they read sarcastic ious remarks about them never cared how much fun ide of him, and he was the applaud when the laugh was wn expense —New York Sun

He Dodged.

sure your son will find you aid a man who has a weak r high hats, which is incon- with his general mode of "At the instance of my wife, d not like his styles, I aban my old hatter not long ago t a hat at another shop For would discover this I went the block rather than pass op when on my way to buy

ly postponed the evil day I seat in a restaurant yester- the very table at which one salesmen was seated He as he saw my hat, but at oked the other way When up, he said pleasantly that ed I would come back to them long One comfort is that I have to go around the block ore."—Exchange.

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TALES OF THE TOWN

There will be an examination in practical arithmatic in all the public schools to morrow

Mr and Mrs F W Simons entertained friends at their home on the Spencerville road, last night

The government building has been wired for electric light, the work being completed this morning

The Passing Show Co came in on the [illegible] & D from Toledo at 1 o'clock this afternoon occupying two cars

James Sawey has opened a first class meat store in the room next to the Lima Tea Co, in the Bowdle block

The crowds of skaters at Hover's and McCullough's lakes last night were unusually large and the sport is reported excellent

Miss Bertha Hatch teacher at the west building and Miss Nina Lehman, of the east building, are ill and substitute teachers are in charge of their schools

Ed Titus returned last night from Marysville where he accompanied Chas Gottfried, who entered the Keely institute Gottfried grew worse before Marysville was reached but did not harm himself

POLICE COURT

Two Prisoners Fined To-day by Acting Mayor Atmur

Geo Hoffnagle, who yesterday pleaded not guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct, changed his plea to-day and was fined $10 by Squire Atmur, who is acting mayor during His Honor's illness

Pat Burk, arrested last night for drunkenness, was fined $5 60 and committed in default.

ABOUT PEOPLE

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

W B Richie is in Washington, D C.

L. L. Doggett, State Y M C A Secretary is in the city

A. J. Ridway, Jr, of Cincinnati, is here looking after his oil interests

Miss Frances Freeman is the guest of her aunt, Mrs Col Orr, in Piqua

Assistant Paymaster A C Thomas, of the L. E. & W, was in the city last evening

Mrs. John Campbell, of St Mary's, is the guest of Mrs J. A. Dutton, of north Pierce street

Mr Earl Heil, of Cincinnati, is the guest of his brother, John Heil, and family, of west Wayne street

Misses Rose and Katie Reel have returned from a pleasant and extended visit with friends in Columbus

Miss Emma Jones, of Van Wert, and Miss Estelle Vetter, of Delphos, are students at the Lima Business College

Mr and Mrs J F Swathwood and daughter, of Brice, Ind, are guests of Conductor and Mrs Chas Jeffries, of east Vine street

Joe Lindeman, of Lima, is here to attend the funeral of the little babe of Mr and Mrs Herman Claflin, which was accidentally shot yesterday — *Delphos Herald*

Basket Ball Postponement.

On account of the death of Mr J M Waugh, the match game of basket ball between the clerks and business men, announced for to morrow evening, has been postponed until Monday evening

NEW BUILDINGS

Discussed by the Board of Ed[ucation] Last Night.

Another Ward Building will be [illegible] the Improvements to be Mad[e] [illegible] Business the Board Transac[ted] Night

The regular meeting of the [Board] of Education was held last [night] with Messrs Jones, Prophet, [illegible] neau and Mrs Vicary present

Bills aggregating $400 we[re aud]ited and allowed, and the sala[ries for] January were granted

An application made by T[illegible] On-key was read, and upon [motion] was received and filed

Messrs Galarneau, Prophet [and] Supt Miller, the committee [who] visited and inspected new [school] buildings in several Indiana [cities] made an informal report, th[e sub]stance of which appeared [in the] TIMES DEMOCRAT several days [ago]

A brief discussion was held r[elative] to the proposed buildings here [The] board is now unanimous in th[e opin]ion that a new ward building [should] be built in the seventh ward [about] midway between the present [Central] building and the Lima College

The present west building, though containing sixteen roo[ms in]cluding the annex, is overcro[wded] and another building in the [west] part of the city would be a ne[cessity] within a few years even if th[e pro]posed new west building sho[uld be] larger than the present one. [Some] members of the board who wer[e pres]ent at the meeting thought t[he] west building should not be [built] again after this term of school [but] think it advisable to compl[ete] as soon as possible the necessa[ry ar]rangements preparatory to begi[nning] the improvement

The committee will leave [next] week to visit new buildi[ngs at] Toledo, Tiffin, Mansfield and M[illegible] The inspection will not be conf[ined ex]clusively to the committee, b[ut] members of the board who ca[n] go The members and also th[e citi]zens seem to be taking a great [inter]est in the proposed improvem[ent] and it is reasonable to expect [them] to have some model school buil[dings] within the near future

GOOD WORK

Accomplished at Deshler by Dete[ctive] Geo Peck, of this City.

Detective George Peck, of th[e C] H & D, has just completed a piece of work at Deshler, and as [a re]sult of his efforts three young m[en of] that place will probably land in [the] penitentiary

A few nights before Christmas [a] car on the B & O at Deshler [was] broken into and some of the cont[ents] stolen On Christmas eve a ca[r on] the C, H & D was broken open [and] a box of slot machines, a ke[g of] brandy, two hams and a lot of whiskey and fine cut tobacco st[olen]

Detective Peck went to work [on] the case and a few days ago H[illegible] Zimmerman, Joe Pfaff and R[illegible] Courtney, of Deshler, were b[ound] over to the grand jury at Napo[leon] on charges of grand larceny O[n ac]count of former experience [with] the authorities at Deshler, Mr [illegible] refused to trust the cases to pre[lim]inary trials there but took [them] to Napoleon, where he recently [sent] another Deshler boy indicted [for] placing obstructions upon the C, [H] & D track at the latter place

Detective Peck also unearth[ed] most of the stolen property wh[ich] had been buried in sawdust at a mill.

AMONG THE RAILROADS

THE BRICE LINES.

It seems that the Brice people [are] not satisfied with what they have [re]cently added to the L [E & W sys]tem and are projecting [illegible] dispatch from Young[stown] [illegible] large corps of surve[yors] [illegible] structions of Samuel [illegible] engaged in [illegible] the business [illegible] ter of the [illegible] Akron & W[illegible] as shown [illegible]

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Her brown little eyes are as bright as the dew
Which decks the chrysanthemum's breast—
So bright that whenever she passes in view
I feel like a being possessed
Especially when she goes trotting about
With her rosy toes in and her ruddy heels out

Her nose [illegible] the smallest I ever have seen
Like ros[illegible] are her cheeks
Though pretty and playful she's modest [illegible]
And [illegible] speaks
Yes [illegible] her in all the mad rout
With her [illegible] her ruddy heels out

Her [illegible] slender and tender and thin
And [illegible] as [illegible] of wool
In standing and stepping she turns them both in
As w[illegible] nurtur[illegible] should [illegible]
When she [illegible] she blushes pretending to pout
With her rosy toes in and her ruddy heels out

Her sandals [illegible] music whenever they come
[illegible] tattoo on the street
They seem to beat time on my heart like a drum
Till my spirit [illegible] her feet—
Those dear little [illegible] which go tripping about
With her rosy toes in and her ruddy heels out
—Margherita Arlina Hamm

Barred by His Nose

Among the Massachusetts delegation in the Fifty second congress was Representative McEttrick, an honest man, an able man but a man with a large, bulbous, rubicund nose a flaring, conspicuous nose, a real danger signal of a proboscis Speaker Crisp in making up the committees assigned McEttrick to the committee on alcoholic liquor traffic There was no design in it It just happened so It was a good place, whether a man had a red, showy nose or a pale unostentatious one McEttrick at the first favorable opportunity hunted up the speaker

"Mr Speaker," said he "I want to request you to take me off the committee on alcoholic liquor traffic

Why Mr McEttrick" asked the speaker, concentrating his gaze earnestly upon the nose in front of him

Look at my nose said McEttrick in a burst of candor Just look at my nose

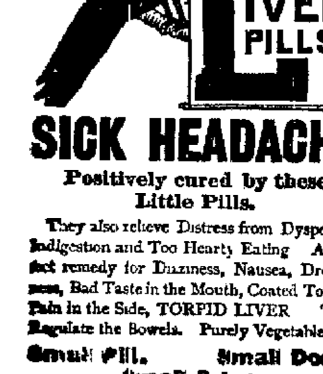
Well, I see it said the speaker "What's the matter with that nose?"

What's the matter with that nose?" asked McEttrick What's the matter with that nose? Did you ever see a nose like it? If I served on the committee on alcoholic liquor traffic, every street arab in Boston would guy the life out of me, it would ruin me with my constituents, and the reputation of that committee wouldn't be worth 3 cents on the dollar No, Mr Speaker, a man with a nose like mine has no business to be sticking it into the committee on alcoholic liquor traffic"—Washington Post

Massachusetts, though small in size, is large in manufacture, her mill hands being numbered at 485,182 and their annual output valued at $888 160 403

The custom of placing flags at half mast as an expression of sorrow is said to be as old as the use of the flags themselves

There are more than 70 halls in Paris devoted to fencing, each presided over by a fencing master more or less famous



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A CAR'S ESCAPADE.

IT STARTED A NEW BREED OF CATTLE IN THE DELAWARE VALLEY

Coe Little's Bills and His Train Failed to Agree When He Reached Port Jervis The Explanation Offered For the Car's Strange Freak

"It isn't likely that there is any of the Coe Little breed of cattle left in the upper Delaware valley " said a veteran railroad man " because, by this time, their identity must have been destroyed through mixture with other breeds It doesn't matter, for there was nothing of particular note about that breed of cattle except the way they happened to be introduced into that locality

In those days live stock transportation was one of the Erie's big items of traffic Trains half a mile long, loaded with horned cattle, horses sheep and hogs used to pass over the road two or three times a day Such a thing is almost a curiosity now days Coe Little was conductor of one of those stock trains between Susquehanna and Port Jervis He left Susquehanna one night, in those good old days of railroading with a long train of cattle cars Those trains were next to passenger trains in class and went over the road a humming Conductor Little delivered his train at Port Jervis on time, and handed over his way bills, which he had received at Susquehanna and on which the number character and contents of every car in his train were recorded When the agent at Port Jervis compared Little's train on this voucher one car was missing The car was entered on the way bill as having left Susquehanna all right but it wasn't in the train Its place according to the bill, was about in the middle of the train

Well here was a situation Coe Little declared that every car was in the train when he left Susquehanna for he had checked the number of each one on the way bill himself He certainly hadn't delivered the missing car to any one on the way and he couldn't see how any one could have sneaked in and stolen it especially as the train had been on the move pretty much all the time between Susquehanna and Port Jervis A telegram was sent to the agent at Susquehanna asking for information about the missing car The reply was that nothing was known there that could throw any light on the subject quite the contrary for the agent corroborated Little's report The car was in the train when it left Susquehanna

"During the efforts of the puzzled railroad men at Port Jervis to solve the mystery of the lost car some one discovered that the car that should have been just behind the missing one was coupled to the one that should have been just ahead of it without the [illegible] [illegible] coupling pin [illegible] link being in [illegible] such [illegible] way that [illegible] [illegible] which was [illegible] in the [illegible] coupler of the other car [illegible] [illegible] matters a little [illegible] rather deepened [illegible]

[illegible] from Shohola station to [illegible] of Port Jervis [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Delaware river [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] from Port Jervis and [illegible] in the middle of a [illegible] 100 feet or more from the railroad [illegible] missing cattle car right [illegible] except that its doors were open and its cattle gone To get where it was the car had run down a ten foot embankment across a wagon road and through a stout rail fence

There is only one way to explain the freak of the car in quitting its train unceremoniously Going east along that part of the Erie the track is on a heavy down grade Just before reaching Shohola the coupling pin that held the car to the one ahead of it must have broken This divided the train in two parts The head car of the rear part jumped the track and breaking the link that held it to the one behind it, went on down the bank getting out of the way of the cars following on the track

"When the leading section of the divided train got to the foot of the grade its speed slackened The hind section caught up with it and ran into the rear car but not with force sufficient to do any damage or attract attention The broken link then a hook happened to fall into the pinhole of the coupler ahead of it The train was thus recoupled and went on to Port Jervis without the loss of a car right out of its very center having been discovered by any one There is no parallel to this one in the record of mishaps to railroad trains and it has never ceased to be a wonder to all old time railroad men

Well what of the doors of the fugitive car were broken by the jar and jolts of its trip down the bank through the fence and across the [illegible] or whether the cattle inside kicked them open I can't say They were open and the cattle jumped out It was winter and the Delaware river only a few feet away was filled with running ice The cattle must have been in a panic or must have known that they were in Pike county Pa or something of that sort for they plunged into that icy flood and made their way across the river into Sullivan county N Y Searchers accompanied by the farmer who owned them found and recovered them all One cow, a deep red animal with a white star in her forehead took the fancy of a farmer on whose premises some of the cattle were found, and he bought her She had twin calves in the spring each marked exactly like the mother One was a bull calf one a heifer Because of the way in which the stock happened to be there it was called the Coe Little breed and for some years was a favorite breed among the farmers of that part of the valley " —New York Sun

THE SOUTHLAND.

O southland! O sunland!
Your skies are always blue,
Your sun is always shining
And [illegible] smiles on you
Your hills are crowned with gladness,
Your valleys filled with praise
Your voices they know no sadness
Thro' all their [illegible] days

O sunland O southland!
[illegible]
[illegible]
North [illegible]
Though all [illegible] are calling
[illegible] hand,
[illegible]
From you my [illegible] southland
—Womankind

The Tadpole In Science

At the close of the last century Galvani astonished the world with the experiments he performed on frogs There is no doubt but what his work is first as the development of engineering was concerned almost regarded the progress at least for a very short time but he has opened a field which to future generations may be of as much possibly of more importance than all the practical applications of electricity today We refer to the physiological effects of the electric currents

Now as we approach the end of another century another experiment on tadpoles has been made which in our minds one may have tremendous consequences Dr Waller has observed that tadpoles face the positive pole when an electric current is sent through the trough in which they live This is certainly a remarkable fact and we hope sincerely that this matter may not be taken up as a matter of ridicule or of play for there may be hidden in this simple experimental fact a vast deal of knowledge not that we want to prophesy but on the face of it it does not seem impossible that this simple fact should be the commencement of a new [illegible] of electro physiology which in 100 years from now might in perfection be second to none of our descriptive sciences —Max Osterberg in Electric Power

Royalty at the Pawnbroker's

Kings and queens are far more frequent customers of the pawnshop than most people would be willing to believe Thus, Queen Isabella of Spain has repeatedly had her jewels in pawn while the silver plate of the late ex king of Naples and of his heroic queen a sister of the empress of Austria has been for years at a time reposing in the vaults of the great London pawnbroker Attenborough Even the Prince of Wales has known what it is to have his [illegible] [illegible] when visiting the [illegible] Hesse [illegible] the Franco German war he found himself stranded at Sedan without money enough to pay his hotel bill [illegible] [illegible] He had [illegible] [illegible] and even if he had he was [illegible] danger of disclosing his identity [illegible] with a spirit [illegible] French [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] it [illegible] keeps [illegible] [illegible] had his watch and chain to his equerry [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the prince's valet who [illegible] proceeded to the [illegible] shop, where it [illegible] to enable the prince to continue his journey —Philadelphia Press

Gained Luck

A commercial traveler for a London firm secured an order for £1 000 in the west of England and as it was not duly acknowledged wrote a letter to the firm calling special attention to it and saying I thought you would consider such an order quite a feather in my cap

In reply he received this note from his principal We have filed your order and inclose for your cap the one feather you require

After about a fortnight came another letter from the firm The people who gave you the £1 000 order have failed and we lose the goods We have this day sent to you a bagful of feathers for you to fly home with as we do not want you out on the road for us any more —Strand Magazine

Youth is not the age of pleasure We then expect too much and we are, therefore exposed to daily disappointments and mortifications When we grow a little older and have brought down our wishes to our experience then we become calm and begin to enjoy ourselves —Lord Liverpool

Gold pens are now usually tipped with iridium The bits of this metal are laid in notches at the point of the pen then fastened on with flux being then wound ground and polished for use

Germany stands next to Great Britain in the number of pensioners there being [illegible] soldiers of the civil war who regularly draw their pensions from the United States government

In 1890 the United States manufactured [illegible] per cent more iron than did England, while its steel manufacture exceeds hers by about 25 per cent

The toilet requisites of the sultan, including rouge and enamel for the ladies of the harem and jewelry cost $3,000,000 a year

A BROWN LEAF

In the woods to lay a leaf fluttered down
It was wrinkled and old and bent and brown
But it met the wind and began to play
And I watched it until it whirled away

And I could but wonder when time and grief
Should have made me old and bent as the leaf
Would my heart [illegible] as young and full of glee
As the brown leaf playing in front of me?
—Frank H Sweet in Ladies' Home Journal

A GEORGIA COLONEL.

Colonel Joseph George Washington Mills is the king of Red Clay one of the mountain kingdoms that lie astraddle of the state line which divides Georgia and Tennessee and is one of the most noted characters of that mountain region

In the seventies Colonel Mills was a Republican residing in Atlanta, and ran for congress on the Republican ticket about the time of the political upheaval that brought on such radical changes in the state government He was a victim of existing circumstances and without waiting until the ballots were counted he gave up the fight in disgust

Not long afterward he removed to the remote corner of the commonwealth where he now resides and possessed himself of the historic town of Red Clay including the ancient council house where Andrew Jackson and the chiefs of the Cherokees met for the last time preparatory to the removal of the tribes to their new territory in the west He is full of anecdotes and his stories carry one back to the days of the old Georgia militia of which he was one of the commanding officers

"I shall never forget " said he one day my first experience as a drillmaster I was elected captain of a company down in Cobb county the muster roll of which included the warlike denizens of the forest depths in the neighborhood of Lost mountain Hunters, traders, trappers squatters and crackers of low degree were included in this organization I knew the character of the men that I had to deal with and as my father was Major General Enoch R Mills then commanding the justly celebrated Georgia militia I felt that I must keep up the dignity of my office by arraying myself not only in authority, but in all the gorgeous habiliments of a high official in the Georgia militia

"I called to mind an old friend of my father's Captain Howell who lived over in Gwinnett county and who had recently resigned the command of his company He possessed a gorgeous uniform with the most fetching epaulets that I ever beheld and I made up my mind that I would apply to him for the loan of his paraphernalia to wear at my first drill which was to occur on the following Friday It was in the heat of the summer after crops were laid by so I mounted my gray pony and rode to the home of Captain Howell who extended to me an exceedingly warm reception Lend you my coat and epaulets said he when I told my mission Of course I will I will do anything for the son of General Mills who is a warm personal friend sir I am proud [illegible] my [illegible] coat and let us see how it fits [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] honor [illegible] which your [illegible] father has won [illegible] the [illegible] general of the Georgia militia sir [illegible] And he handed me his [illegible] long as a fence rail, with a gold [illegible] on it like an old fashioned window curtain After bidding him an affectionate adieu I mounted the gray pony and started back home

Hold on there shouted Captain Howell after I had ridden a few paces Here is something else that you will need Captain Mills And he overtook me and handed me a copy of Scott's tactics I present you with this sir, as the highest authority in the land It has been carefully compiled by General Winfield Scott after the most approved methods and usages of the greatest commanders of the age sir It is above and beyond all statutory law and is second and subservient only to the constitution of the United States sir Only follow its instructions and carry out its regulations and your future is assured, Captain Mills '

With the uniform and sash carefully packed in my saddlebags and that copy of Scott's tactics in my left hand I rode off down the winding road in the direction of Lost mountain where the citizen soldiers of my command were pursuing their peaceful avocations After a[n] inspection of the cover of the book showed me a military officer in full regimentals and as I opened it and began reading my heart swelled and my bosom glowed with military enthusiasm and patriotic ardor

About 2 o'clock in the afternoon I arrived in the heart of the forest around Lost mountain and it occurred to me that as I had never drilled a company of soldiers I ought to engage in some preliminary [illegible] and not make a display of my ignorance to the men when I expected [illegible] So I [illegible] into the [illegible] and after riding [illegible] 500 yards through the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] tied my pony

Divesting myself of my coat I put on the [illegible] and epauletted garment presented to me by Captain Howell and invested myself with the glowing sash and its tasseled tassels floating in the wind Taking position close to the fallen tree where I thought it would be utterly impossible for any one to come upon me without my discovering his approach I assumed a haughty and commanding posture and with a copy of Scott's tactics opened in my hand I began drilling the imaginary squadron

'Carry ahms!' I called in stentorian tones

' Order ahms!'

' Right shoulder ahms!'

"'Present ahms!'

"'Recover ahms!'

"Having gone through with this part of the evolutions to my entire satisfaction I began on that portion of the manual which referred to loading and firing the old flintlock muskets then in use by the Georgia militia.

"'Draw rammer!'

"'B[illegible]'

"'Cast cartridge!'

"'R[illegible]'

"'O[illegible]'

"'Pr[illegible]'

"'[illegible]'

"'M[illegible]'

"'[illegible]'

"'[illegible]'

"'C[illegible]'

"'Carry arms!'

"'Well [illegible] [illegible] and I [illegible] congratulate [illegible] squadron [illegible] well for men who [illegible] service' Then bracing myself against the log I called out

"'Attention company!'

"'By the right wheel!'

"'Forward! March!'

"Then I began to imitate the tramp of soldiers [illegible] hep hep Closer order there men closer order! Close up the rear [illegible] Steady men, steady! Halt, comrades! said I taking a step forward You must learn to keep step Keep your eyes front and follow your guides and hold your muskets in position This will prevent so much confusion

"'Forward march! Hep hep, hep, hep

"'Halt!

"'Stack ahms!'

"'Break ranks!'

Comrades cried I in a voice trembling with enthusiasm it affords me pleasure to compliment you upon your proficiency and the care and attention which you have given to these tactics, which are taken from the methods and usages of the greatest commanders of the age I feel that I can rely upon each and every one of you to do his full duty toward his commander and his country when occasion offers I feel from your gallant and soldierly bearing and exemplary conduct today that your bosoms are inspired with that patriotic devotion to home and country which are the mainspring of every soldierly virtue In the flash of your eyes and the bearing of your manly forms I behold that pride of patriotism which should animate our country's defenders and I know that, should any foe invade our country and attempt to usurp the rights of our liberties you would spring to arms and march in the defense of your country and your firesides to death or glorious victory '

"Captain Mills," said I, imitating the supposititious voice of my first lieutenant we have listened with the profoundest pleasure to your words of kindly commendation which we trust we shall merit in our future conduct We hope to do [illegible] justice to all your expectations and in the days to come instead of Captain Mills we hope to hail you as Major General Mills commanding the Georgia militia

Lieutenant said I in a trembling voice [illegible] too much overcome for utterance [illegible] but [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] press the feeling [illegible] [illegible] which your words have inspired in my heart [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] may be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] It is now with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] I bid you [illegible]

"Captain Mills," said I again imitating the lieutenant [illegible] all join in returning [illegible] our most hearty good wishes. Comrades, three cheers and a tiger for Captain Mills of the Lost Mountain volunteers'

Hip hip hoo ray!

"When the echoes of that cheer had died away I pulled off my military coat and sash, carefully wrapped them up and placed them in my saddlebags along with a copy of Scott's tactics and donning my everyday overcoat I started to mount my horse I had one foot in the stirrup when I heard a [illegible] rustling in the [illegible] of the fallen tree

"[illegible] around I stood face to face with the [illegible] mountaineer that I ever laid eyes upon He rose slowly out of the crotch of the tree and it seemed to me that he grew taller and taller as he straightened himself He was red whiskered [illegible] and cross eyed and his flaming hair fell in wild profusion from under his coon skin cap In his hand he held one of the old fashioned squirrel puncher rifles that glistened in the sun as he fixed me with his stern and baleful gaze

"Well [illegible] said he catching a deep breath, I've seen fools, I've read of fools I've heard of fools but of all the gold durned fools that ever I saw you are the gold durned infernalest '

"By that time I had recovered my composure to some extent, and reaching in my pocket I pulled out a $2½ gold piece the only money I had

Look here my friend I don't suppose that you feel any particular interest in telling about this thing You just take this and say no more about it

"Well [illegible] said he [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] as I am not in the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] that I am [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

"I [illegible] many [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] cross eyed mountaineer kept his word But never in all my [illegible] ence have I had such a close shave as I did on the occasion of my first drill "—Chicago Record

Different Views

'Do you ever go to church?' asked a city missionary of a woman who had applied to him for assistance

No, I don't ' was the reply The fact is, I ain't fit things to wear My husband's been out o' work so long I've run out o' things, and, anyhow me and my husband have such diff'rent views I'd have to go alone if I went at all "

' What are your views '

' Well I'm a Methodist, and my husband, he's one o' these here Knights o' Pythias. '—Youth's Companion

EXIT THE BLUEJACKET

In Modern Steam [illegible] [illegible] Sailors [illegible] a Minor Part

A [illegible] portion of the bluejacket [illegible] rigged ship were necessary [illegible] [illegible] The upper yardmen [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] tional men in this way and many [illegible] so perilous [illegible] that the time [illegible] power was receiving its death [illegible] than ever before The young [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible] the highest [illegible] at the present [illegible] at one time [illegible] when the ship was in harbor [illegible] their heads and maintain [illegible] while holding on by their [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] with a careful and measured [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] ments for [illegible] [illegible] all done at full speed, for it was [illegible] versally held that the upper yards gave a character to the whole ship and that one which was foremost in this exercise was ever considered 'the smartest ship in the fleet ' The upper yard men were always the coming men [illegible] had most opportunities for distinguishing themselves, were the best known and were most under the eye of the authorities They developed great muscular power in chest, shoulders and arms Their lower extremities suffered and one always knew the men who had been upper yardmen by their tadpole like appearance when they were bathing

But in the modern steam line of battle ship and frigate these extremely [illegible] lone specimens formed a very small minority of the 'ship's company,' and none of them could lose his turn at being upper yardman so long as the ship's reputation depended on the speed with which the upper yards were crossed or sent down In harbor the rest of the bluejackets had the handling of yards and sails for exercise once or twice a week but as soon the use of sails for propulsion grew less and less important and most of the work aloft was [illegible] an exercise and less of a necessity —North American Review

CRACKERS FOUND ALL OVER

Wanderers of the Tribe In the West and North as Well as the South

'You'll find crackers in other parts of the country than the south [illegible] tall, grizzled sea captain like man at the inn I've seen them in every land— yes, and on Long Island I take it the cracker belongs to a class by himself The crackers all the way from the foothills of the Alleghanies in Lancaster county Pa to the mountains of Georgia are as I take it the descendants of men from the north of Ireland [illegible] of them reached this state from C[illegible] and went south by way of the old Cherry Valley turnpike into Pennsylvania and then into Maryland and Virginia They found [illegible] of the cracker [illegible] They still [illegible] some of the [illegible] they started with and a remnant of energy

"You find a southern cracker [illegible] ever and then with a good [illegible] English name [illegible] Here is [illegible] Ireland [illegible] into the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the old [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] He believes [illegible] name [illegible] of the N[illegible] landed [illegible] though he could neither read nor write He has however his grandfather's diploma from Harvard college The grandfather had removed to North Carolina and part of [illegible] all of the family had drifted west a[nd] finally reached Missouri The crackers had a way of traveling along the mountain valleys from state to state and a good many went into Tennessee [and] Georgia —New York Sun

Brave Sepoys and Sikhs

The siege had lasted altogether [illegible] days and there had been 29 men killed and 62 wounded The sepoys had suffered greatly from want of food as they could not eat horseflesh like the officers nor did they have been against the [illegible] and [illegible] grain had long run out They had [illegible] half [illegible] of flour and when there came they were weak and emaciated from want of food and sleep but their endurance and pluck were most admirable The [illegible] cards showed extraordinary nerve The worse the outlook the cheerier they grew They would all day cleaning their rifles with a quiet smile as though the anticipation of defeat had never entered their minds They felt sure they and that the government would not desert them and that in due time help would come A one of them [illegible] put it The arm of the government is slow but it is very [illegible] Indeed no praise can be too great for the Sikhs who were the very backbone of the defense They [illegible] ly endured hardship and privation without a murmur but they fought with a quiet dignified courage that [illegible] spired confidence — The Chitral Campaign ' by Thomson

Amputation.

Dr A Pearce Gould, one of the highest medical authorities in England, has recently said that surgeons may [illegible] [illegible] frequently now [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] science of anaesthetics [illegible] immediately [illegible] out [illegible] days dental skill is [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] every [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] nerves and you have to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to keep up with it —New York Herald

The Ready Answer

A Pittsburg little girl who was very fond of the inside of cream puffs but who did not care for the crust was carefully removing the latter the other evening at dessert, when her mamma said

What are you doing dear '

' Peelin my cream puff ' was the reply —Pittsburg Chronicle.

BANISHED

THE OUTCAST OF [illegible] GREAT [illegible]

He Has For Years [illegible] Man and Rarely [illegible] Branded For Reb[ellion] of Governor Brig[ham Young]

In the center of [illegible] in Utah is a large [illegible] as Church island [illegible] mountains and [illegible] vegetation and [illegible] as a herding ground [illegible] to the Mormon [illegible] ago the water [illegible] land was [illegible] driven [illegible] is deep and [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] "I should say not," she rejoined. She was willing to admit that the fowl's wings and tail feathers would be upon her head, but it was perfectly absurd to talk about blood.—Detroit Tribune.

[illegible] are unprejudiced; but having been fortunate to choose a winning number, they naturally wanted the best there was to be had and took Columbias one and all—because the Columbias are the standards of the world.

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THE OUTCAST OF CHURCH ISLAND IN GREAT SALT LAKE

He Has For Years Lived the Life of a Wild Man and Rarely Sees a Human Being. Branded For Robbing the Dead by Order of Governor Brigham Young

In the center of the Great Salt Lake there is a large body of land known as Church island. This land consists of mountains and valleys, with trees and vegetation and has always been used as a fattening ground for cattle belonging to the Mormon church. Several years ago the water on the east side of the island was shallow and cattle could be driven across by it, but now the water is deep and everything must be conveyed there in boats. The island is about three miles long and two miles wide. A dike must be gone over by canoes to reach Church island. On this island live hundreds of pelicans and a few white men, who are kept there by their employers. They were barking

[illegible] Church was in charge of a young man named Ayers. He grew up among the Indians and after marrying one of the squaws became a member of the Mormon church on the island. His wife died and he married another squaw. He was a man of high and low temperament and was extremely [illegible]. He formed a very small band called "the company," and [illegible] the island. He was born at Provo, was the child of Mormon parents and was educated in the city and spent his time when not employed in the cemetery in the city. He was a hard drinker and trafficked with a few Jewish second-hand dealers who bought the hundred [illegible] in business among the Mormons. A warrant of United States marshals was issued against the company and they were engaged in business [illegible] protection.

[illegible] was an avaricious man and was noticeable because he used to pick up every cast away article and bring it to his home. Old barrels, boxes, barrels, tin cans and [illegible] were specially well cared for. Jean Baptiste the sexton. He dressed [illegible] younger and resembled the [illegible] in dress. He wore shirts for hats, boots, boots, and cast off garments. He was one of the sexton and [illegible] some [illegible] and [illegible] in Lancaster mountains of [illegible] the [illegible] dance of Ireland. Son [illegible] state from Canada [illegible] way of the old Ch[illegible] Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia [illegible] of the [illegible] of the [illegible]

[illegible] Sun

[illegible] pays and Sikhs

[illegible] Chronicle.

MAKING CARBON BOIL

This Is What Happens When the Arc Light Is Burning.

The electric arc light, with its intense, steady brilliancy, is now so familiar an object that few stop to think how wonderful a thing it really is. Here is light enough to illuminate many square yards nearly as well as daylight does proceeding from the points of two little carbon rods as large as one's finger. What is the state of the carbon in that small spot? Professor S. P. Thompson, in a recent Cantor lecture before the Society of Arts in London tells us that it has actually melted there something that was until recently thought impossible. Moreover he says that when the light hisses, the liquid carbon is really boiling. The facts that lead him to these conclusions are quoted below from the report of his lecture that appears in Industries and Iron.

Captain Abney had found the white surface of the luminous crater to be always of an equal degree of whiteness which obviously means that it is always of an equal degree of temperature. The only thing that could account for there being a fixed temperature for the crater surface was the fact that carbon is at the surface in a state of volatilization, that the carbon is evaporating off from the positive carbon into the arc of flame. At that surface you necessarily must have the temperature at which carbon evaporates, just as you cannot have the surface of ice under ordinary conditions either hotter or colder than the temperature which is taken as zero of the Centigrade scale. My present view of the physical state of the arc crater is that the solid carbon below is covered with a layer or film of liquid carbon, just boiling or evaporating off.

"When hissing takes place, a new state of things is set up. If you watch a short hissing arc, you will see a column of light concentrating itself on a narrow spot and the spot keeps moving about and is very unstable in position as well as in the amount of light it gives out. The contracted spot from which light seems to start pits deeper into the carbon. Miss Ayrton made the observation that the crater surface after the arc has been hiss no is found to be literally honeycombed. When the arc is hissing you can see little bits erupt from it and the hissing seems to be comparable to the hissing water takes place when it just when it is beginning to boil. If you have seen water boiled [illegible] you cannot get more than a [illegible] quantity of heat given off per square inch of top surface of the water in that quiet way.

If you force more than a certain quantity of heat to pass off per top square inch of the water you find the water begins to break up internally and you have bubbles formed below the surface, the surface breaks up, the bubbles are thrown out and you have a noisy phenomenon. I think you will find there is exactly the same kind of difference between the silent arc and the hissing arc as between quiet evaporation and noisy boiling. There is a sort of decrepitation, as the solid particles are being torn asunder to make way for something coming out when the arc is hissing.—Industry Digest.

TOLSTOI RIDES A BICYCLE

But He Also Finds Time to Finish One Novel and Begin Another.

The Russian newspapers are publishing a budget of news regarding the present appearance, habits and family life of Count Leo Tolstoi. The famous philosopher they say has grown old rapidly in face and figure in the last two years. His hair is snow white, his beard is thinning and the resolute lines around his mouth are relaxing.

Nevertheless Tolstoi is regarded by his neighbors as a wonderfully energetic man of 67. He is busy the whole day. His hours in his study are long and he seeks relief from them only in active physical exercise such as most men would regard a work. All the morning he devotes to writing, which he is able to do with the swiftness and precision of his earlier days. He has just finished a novel and is beginning a new work whose nature and plan he keeps carefully secret from his family. It is surmised that he has for the time temporarily the way of the philosopher and moralist and has taken up the pen of the novelist. Many of his family friends predict the coming of another Anna Karenina.

One of Tolstoi's most popular diversions just now is chopping trees. Every afternoon rain or sun, he goes to the wood ax in hand to cut through a big trunk and strap it ready for the saws of his men. He has also a fondness for bicycling, for in his sixty seventh year he has bought a wheel and learned to ride it to the great astonishment of the peasants on his estate. His daughters worried so much over his bicycling trips that they eventually decided to take to wheels themselves so as to accompany him and care for him. They now go with him on all his excursions.

Even in his life years Tolstoi has not ceased simplifying his manner of life. He has banished servants from his dining room and eat dishes. At the table everybody help himself, and as the dishes are brought from the kitchen, his two daughters take turns in playing waitress. Vegetarianism is the rule at the table. For himself Tolstoi never permits exception although the other members of the family occasionally eat fish or fowl. Milk and butter have been forbidden in the house for the first six months. The usual menu for dinner is sour rye soup, vegetable potatoes, pancakes of buckwheat baked potatoes and boiled beets. Tea is the sole drink.

The Libre Gedanke adds to these details

Count Leo Tolstoi has finished a novel which is [illegible] and [illegible] in Moscow to a small circle of friends who received it with unanimous [illegible]. The plot begins in a [illegible] woman in which [illegible] and [illegible] from her husband [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] story.—N. [illegible]

SANTA CLAUS'S COLD FACT

[illegible] Santa Claus [illegible] Christmas [illegible] the [illegible] Tolstoi [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] the

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TELEPHONE CALL, NO. 34.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

There will be an examination in practical arithmatic in all the public schools to-morrow.

Mr and Mrs. F. W. Simons entertained friends at their home, on the Spencerville road, last night.

The government building has been wired for electric light, the work being completed this morning.

The Passing Show Co. came in on the C., L. & D. from Toledo at 1 o'clock this afternoon, occupying two cars.

James Sawey has opened a first class meat store in the room next to the Lima Tea Co., in the Bowdle block.

The crowds of skaters at Hover's and McCullough's lakes last night were unusually large and the sport is reported excellent.

Miss Bertha Hatch, teacher at the west building and Miss Nina Lehman, of the east building, are ill and substitute teachers are in charge of their schools.

Ed Titus returned last night from Marysville where he accompanied Chas. Gottfried, who entered the Keely Institute. Gottfried grew worse before Marysville was reached but did not harm himself.

POLICE COURT

Two Prisoners Fined To-day by Acting Mayor Atmur.

Geo. Hoffnagle, who yesterday pleaded not guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct, changed his plea to-day and was fined $10 by Squire Atmur, who is acting mayor during His Honor's illness.

Pat Burk, arrested last night for drunkenness, was fined $3 60 and committed in default.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

W. B. Riddle is in Washington, D. C.

L. L. Doggett, State Y. M. C. A. Secretary, is in the city.

A. J. Radway, Jr., of Cincinnati, is here looking after his oil interests.

Miss Frances Freeman is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Col. Orr, in Piqua.

Assistant Paymaster A. C. Thomas, of the L. E. & W., was in the city last evening.

Mrs. John Campbell, of St. Mary's, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Dutton, of north Pierce street.

Mr. Earl Heil, of Cincinnati, is the guest of his brother, John Heil, and family, of west Wayne street.

Misses Rose and Katie Reel have returned from a pleasant and extended visit with friends in Columbus.

Miss Emma Jones, of Van Wert, and Miss Emelie Vetter, of Delphos, are students at the Lima Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Swathwood and daughter, of Brice, Ind., are guests of Conductor and Mrs. Chas. Jeffries, of east Vine street.

Jos. Linderman, of Lima, is here to attend the funeral of the little babe of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Claflin, which was accidentally shot yesterday.—*Delphos Herald.*

Basket Ball Postponement.

On account of the death of Mr. J. M. Waugh, the match game of basket ball between the clerks and business men, announced for to-morrow evening, has been postponed until Monday evening.

NEW BUILDINGS

Discussed by the Board of Ed Last Night.

Another Ward Building will be the Improvements to be Made Business the Board Transac Night.

The regular meeting of the of Education was held last with Messrs. Jones, Prophet, neau and Mrs. Vicary present

Bills aggregating $400 we lited and allowed, and the sala January were granted.

An application made by T Caskey was read, and upon was received and filed.

Messrs. Galarneau, Proph Supt Miller, the committe visited and inspected new buildings in several Indiana made an informal report, th stance of which appeared TIMES-DEMOCRAT several days

A brief discussion was held to the proposed buildings here toard is now unanimous in th tion that a new ward building be built in the seventh ward midway between the present building and the Lima College

The present west building though containing sixteen roo cluding the annex, is overcr and another building in the part of the city would be a ne within a few years even if th posed new west building sho larger than the present one, members of the board who wer ent at the meeting thought t west building should not be again after this term of schoo think it advisable to compl soon as possible the necessar rangements preparatory to beg the improvement.

The committee will leave next week to visit new buildin Toledo, Tiffin, Mansfield and M The inspection will not be conf clusively to the committee, b members of the board who ca go. The members and also th zens seem to be taking a great est in the proposed improvem and it is reasonable to expect to have some model school buil within the near future.

GOOD WORK

Accomplished at Deshler by Det Geo. Peck, of this City.

Detective George Peck, of th H. & D., has just completed a piece of work at Deshler, and as sult of his efforts three young m that place will probably land in penitentiary.

A few nights before Christmas car on the B. & O. at Deshler broken into and some of the con stolen. On Christmas eve a ca the C., H. & D. was broken open a box of slot machines, a ke brandy, two hams and a lot of whiskey and fine cut tobacco st

Detective Peck went to work the case and a few days ago H Zimmerman, Joe Pfaff and Ed Courtney, of Deshler, were b over to the grand jury at Napol on charges of grand larceny. O count of former experience the authorities at Deshler, Mr. refused to trust the cases to pre inary trials there, but took t to Napoleon, where he recently another Deshler boy indicted placing obstructions upon the C. & D. track at the latter place.

Detective Peck also uneart most of the stolen property w had been buried in sawdust at a mill.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

THE BRICE LINES.

It seems that the Brice people not satisfied with what they have cently added to the L. E. & W. tem and are projecting new lines. dispatch from Youngstown, says large corps of surveyors under the structions of Senator Brice are engaged in running a route the business and manufacturers ter of the city for the Akron & Western. as shown by the

THREE DAYS ONLY

LEFT FOR YOU TO ATTEND THE

Great Cloak and Fur Sale!

MONDAY,
TUESDAY AND
WEDNESDAY.

Our success has been away beyond our expectation.

Just received twenty-five more very choice garments, which will suffer the same great sacrifice.

P. S. Mackintoshes--$5 and $6 will buy one that is worth $10 and $12.50.

MRS. F. LIGHT,
134 North Main Street.

DEB'S ADDRESS

Will be Comprised of General Matters Pertaining to Labor.

Eugene V. Debs, the labor leader, will be in Lima on next Wednesday as the guest of the Lima Trades and Labor Council, and in the evening at 8 o'clock will deliver an address in Music Hall in the interest of organized labor.

It seems that many laboring people think Mr. Debs is touring the country in his own political interests and that his address here will be nothing more than a political speech. Such, however, is not the case; and in order to convince those who think so, that they are wrong, the Council wrote him regarding his address and received the following reply:

"In answer to your inquiry as to the subject I will choose to speak from, it will be comprised of general matters pertaining to labor. My purpose will be to solidify and unite labor and do everything in my power to strengthen and give spirit to each of the trades unions comprising your Council."

Mr. Debs is a fearless and matchless orator, and every person having the interests of the laboring classes at heart should turn out and hear him. Other prominent speakers will be in attendance, and no admission fee will be charged.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

John Lutz will leave for Mexico Wednesday.

R. E. Wallace was in Ada Saturday, on business.

Dr. R. D. Kahle went down to Sidney this morning.

Ed L. Davis, of Wapakoneta, spent Sunday in the city.

John J. Hartegan, an oil man from Cygnet, was here to-day.

G. L. Marble was over from Van Wert to-day on business.

Grant Williams and Jas. Gordon spent Sunday in Delphos.

C. L. Huddle, of North Baltimore, was in the city yesterday.

Cal McCullough, of North Baltimore, spent Sunday here.

Dick Ody came down from North Baltimore to spend Sunday.

W. H. Wallace went to Wapakoneta this afternoon, on business.

G. Henne, of Spencerville, was in the city Saturday evening on business.

Mrs. Chas. Grosvenor, of north Elizabeth street, is visiting her parents in Piqua.

Miss Parmilia Simons, of east Kibby street, is the guest of friends in Upper Sandusky.

Misses Katie Gribben and Katie Reel left to-day for Monticello for a few days' visit with friends.

Representative Wm. Russler returned to Columbus this morning, after spending Sunday at home.

Miss Margaret Kearns, of Findlay, is the guest of Mrs. A. T. MacDonald, on west North street, for a few days.

Mike Courted, of Upper Sandusky, returned home Saturday, after visiting Adam Simons and family, of east Kibby street.

J. H. Moran, of Springfield, who has been the guests of his brother, J. E. Moran and wife, of Forest avenue, has returned home.

Mrs. A. Gutman has returned to her home in Botkins after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Makley, of north Elizabeth street.

Messrs Eldon Matheany, of Cadillac, Mich., R. R. Matheany, of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Albert Matheany, of Galion, accompanied by their wives and children, are guests of Mrs. E. A. Metheany and other relatives.

Buy your Silks now at Treat's and get your waists made for the coming season. 2 3t

DEATH FROM DROPSY.

Brother of Jacob Moser Died Last Night.

J. F., brother of Jacob Moser, died at the latter's residence at 11:30 o'clock last night from dropsy.

He was 54 years old, a native of Switzerland, and came to this country in 1853. He was a druggist by occupation, and until recently was located at Custer.

The funeral service will be held from the residence on west North street at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. C. Baum.

At 3 O'clock This Morning

Hoover Bros. loaded up their large white wagon with a complete outfit to go to St. Marys, consisting of Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Lamps, etc. This makes the tenth load they have taken there since New Years. 1t

Anti-Saloon League Call.

To Anti-Saloon Leaguers! There will be a meeting on most important business, in room No. 5, Trinity M. E. church, Lima, O., to-morrow, Tuesday, Jan. 21, at 12 m., to last just fifteen minutes. Be there at 12 m. sharp or stay away.

J. H. BETHARDS, Pres.
D. BURGHALTER, Sec'y.

NO NEW CASES.

The Scarlet Fever Epidemic is on the Wane.

A new case of scarlet fever has not been reported to health officer Rudy for more than a week.

There are only a few of the old cases and the patients are all convalescent.

The Mumaugh residence on east High street, where several cases developed, will be disinfected to-morrow. A card on west Kibby street was taken down Saturday.

SOLD BY THE SHERIFF.

List of Property Sold Saturday Under the Law.

Below will be found a list of the property sold at sheriff's sale Saturday afternoon, together with the purchasers:

Twenty-five acres of the King estate in Marion township to John Trentman for $1,270; inlot 578 in Delphos to Ella Hover, for $33 34; inlot 684 to J. W. Bixler, for $34.

Mrs Sabra F. Hurlburt purchased the Bates homestead, corner of Market and Scott streets, for $534.

The Jennie Nix house, on north Tanner street, was bought by John Smieding for $623.

The Langan property was purchased by the Lima National bank, lot 1720, for $1,000; lot 1721, for $850; lot 1692, for $600, and lot 1693, for $5000.

STEPPED ON A MAN.

Asa Catt Finds a Drunken Man Asleep in His Barn.

Saturday night about 6:30 o'clock, Asa Catt went into his barn for something, and in the darkness fell over the prostrate form of a man. He soon learned that the man was drunk, and telephoned to the police station for an officer. Policemen Baker and Lehman answered the call, and when the drunken man was ushered out under an electric light he was recognized as Ed Heckethorn. He was locked up at the police station and this morning was fined $2 and costs by the mayor. He could not settle and was committeed to the city prison.

Great Cut Sale now going on at Treat's. 2 3t

W. R. C. Notice.

Regular meeting Tuesday evening, Jan. 21, at 7:30 o'clock, in Memorial Hall.
FRANCES PROPHET, Pres.
ANGIE KELLER, Sec'y.

Cut Prices on all winter goods at Treat's. 2 3t

G. E. BLUEM. | PUBLIC SQUARE. | G. E. BLUEM.

DRESS PLAIDS.

New All Wool Dress Plaids Now on Sale.

Nobby : Jackets
—AND—
Choice Fur Capes
—AT—
HALF - PRICE.

LINENS. . .
Our Linen Sale will be continued all this week.

G. E. BLUEM,
57 PUBLIC SQUARE.
The Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Cloak House.

CHARLEY COULDN'T HELP IT.

Some One Tried to Get Conductor Jeffries Into Trouble.

Saturday some one telephoned to the police station and requested that the L. E. & W. conductor who had charge of caboose 96, be arrested for having the Vine street crossing blocked forty minutes with a west bound freight train.

Caboose 96 was in charge of conductor Chas. Jeffries, but he could not prevent the crossing being blocked. The head end of his train was wrecked near the C. & E. crossing and the rear end was across Vine street. The wreck was between the rear end of the train and the switch engines, and most of the wreck had to be cleared before the crossing could be cleared.

Sup't Bickell explained the matter to Chief Haller, and no charge was made against Mr. Jeffries.

Pay Your Water Rent

six months in advance any time in January and save 10 per cent. The collector will not call on you: you must pay at the office.
80 4t H. B. HACKEDORN, Sec'y.

Given Away. With each dress pattern sold we give Linings free. TREAT'S. 2 3t

MANSLAUGHTER

The Verdict Found Against Louis Van Skiver.

The celebrated murder trial of Louis Van Skiver, in which he figured in the riot and killed two strikers at Wapakoneta, came to an end yesterday. The jury, after being out 48 hours, brought in a verdict of manslaughter. His sentence will be given in a few days.

Linings Free with each dress pattern sold during our great clearing sale. TREAT, 2 3t 209 north Main street.

REYNO H. TREAT

Great Cut Sales now going on. Come and see us.

DRY GOODS

Ladies, who think of saving money, come now.

A BOLD MOVE TO REDUCE STOCK!

PREVIOUS TO OUR ANNUAL INVENTORY.

Blankets.

$4.75, former price	-	$7.00
3 50, " "	-	4 50
1.38, " "	-	2.00
75c, " "	-	1.25

Dress Goods.

Many choice Dress Patterns at less than Half Price. New goods are here and we give linings free with them.

Linens.

10c for fine Huck Towels.
38c a yard for fine Cream Linen Damask, worth 60c.

Cloaks.

$5.00 buys the choice of any Cloaks on our stock. Some are worth $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00. Don't delay. We only have a few left.

Misses' Long Cloaks from $1 to $4.75.

Infants' Cloaks, Fur Trimmed at 75c.

Furs.

What few Furs we have will be sold at your own price.

Muslin.

5 cents for our regular 6c Brown Muslin.

Skirts.

98c, former price	-	$1.25
59c, former price	-	75c
19c, former price	-	25c

Curtains.

$1.00, former price	-	$1.50
1.39, former price	-	2.00
1.69, former price	-	2.50

Hosiery.

10c for Fleeced Lined Hose.
15c for Wool Hose.
25 cents for Hose worth 50c a pair.

Sheeting.

10c for best 45 inch Bleached Muslin.

Shawls.

$3.50 buys the choice of our Double Shawls, all wool, choice patterns, never sold less than $5 00.

Flannels.

Get our prices on Scarlet Flannel. Special lot 36 inch wide, only 19c a yard.

Underwear.

The cut of cuts in Underwear—Buy now. We have all sizes in children's, ladies' and men's. See us.

Dress Trimmings.

At Great Cut Prices. Cost ignored.

Final Cuts on all Winter Wear---Come Now---Don't Delay.

REYNO H. TREAT,

Oldest Dry Goods Store, 209 North Main Street.

TREAT'S

"I should say not," she retorted. She was willing to admit that the fowl's wings and tail feathers would be upon her head, but it was perfectly absurd to talk about blood.—*Detroit Tribune.*

COLUMBIA,

The Leading Shoe House of Lima.

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